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DEATH TAKES MANY PEOPLE

Mrs. Meals Dies at her Home on Seminary Avenue. Well Known County Residents Fall Victims to Disease.

MRS. F. G. MEALS

Mrs. Henrietta Louise Meals, widow of the late F. G. Meals, died at her home on Seminary avenue at 5.30 o'clock Wednesday evening, from a complication of disease, aged 58 years, 8 months and 19 days.

She was the youngest daughter of John R. and Anna Maria Trostel Sheats, and the last of seven children. A sister, Miss Joanna M. Sheats, having passed away, June 1, 1910.

Mrs. Meals was a kind and affectionate mother and had many friends in this place, where she was born and spent most of her life.

She leaves one son and five daughters: J. Harry Meals, Chambersburg; Mrs. G. C. Ramsdell, Jersey City; Mrs. Charles Marriott, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. J. H. Schaad, Millville, N. J.; Mrs. R. E. Slaybaugh, and Miss Edna Meals, of this place.

Funeral from her late residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. B. Baker officiating.

MRS. JOHN M. MUSSELMAN

Mrs. John M. Musselman died at her home in Fairfield Tuesday night about 11 o'clock after a lingering illness, aged 66 years and 16 days.

Mrs. Musselman was a kind and devoted mother, possessed of a noble disposition and will be greatly missed for her kindness to friends and neighbors, having been ever ready to help those in distress.

She is survived by her husband and the following children: Harry Musselman, of Fairfield; Dr. J. Elvin Musselman, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Harry J. Musselman, of Danville; Miss Clara and William L. Musselman, at home in Fairfield, and John G. Musselman, of Harrisburg; two sisters.

She is also survived by one stepbrother, Robert Gelwix, of Abilene, Kansas.

Funeral was held on Friday afternoon with services at the house at 1 o'clock, her pastor, the Rev. W. K. Fisch of the Lutheran church, officiating. Interment is Union Cemetery, Fairfield.

JACOB B. STAMBAUGH

Jacob G. Stambaugh, a former resident of Hoe Creek, died at his home in Hanover at 4.45 a. m. Wednesday. He was aged 87 years, 10 months and 5 days.

He was a son of the late John Stambaugh, of near Spring Grove. He was a retired farmer and moved to Hanover from New Oxford ten years ago.

He was married January 31, 1864, to the late Sophia Bollinger, of near Spring Grove, who died June 1, 1910.

Mr. Stambaugh is survived by two sons, Robert F., and Harry J. Stambaugh, and four daughters, Mrs. Daniel Geiselman, Mrs. John Sipe, Mrs. Henry Hile, and Celia, all of Hanover. One sister, Mrs. Frank Bailey, of near Spring Grove, also survives.

Funeral Friday at 10 a. m., services at the house and interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery. Rev. J. E. Musser and Rev. M. J. Roth, officiating.

MRS. DIANA ALLEWELT

Mrs. Diana Alleweit, widow of Peter Alleweit, died at her home on Friday, passed away at her home in Hanover Sunday morning at 4.15 o'clock, aged 77 years, 3 months and 15 days.

She was born in Manheim township, York County, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baughman. She was a kind and generous personality, and was greatly esteemed by all who knew her.

She is survived by two sons, George Alleweit, living in Hanover, and Howard P. Alleweit, with whom she lived, since the death of her husband. She is also survived by one brother, H. F. Baughman, of Hanover.

Funeral Thursday, March 30, services at the house at 1 p. m., Rev. A. M. Schlegel, pastor of the Hanover Lutheran church Hanover, officiating.

MRS. C. WALBERT

Mrs. Emma G. Walbert died at her home in Liberty township, near Fountain Dale Wednesday morning, March

DOUGLASS GETS HIS FREEDOM

Release Corpus Proceedings Secure Release of Man Found in Hotel Gettysburg. Warden Hears of his Arrest.

On Wednesday afternoon Arthur Douglass was discharged from the custody of Sheriff Flood following a habeas corpus hearing held before Judge Swope. The proceeding was brought at the instance of Douglass' attorney, J. Donald Swope, Esq.

Douglass was arrested Tuesday March 21 on a charge brought by D. G. E. Trebby of the Hotel Gettysburg who charged that Douglass had, early at night in the kitchen of the hotel, threatened to do serious injury to him as "Yellow," explained his presence there by saying that he had been asked by the night watchman, Leonard Hickens to help him clean up and he was there for that purpose. The watchman corroborated that he had made the request claimed Douglass was paid for his services, however, and has been in Sheriff Flood's care until Wednesday's hearing.

At the time of the arrest Douglass insisted that he would not make an attempt to escape if allowed to go on his own recognizance for appearance at Court as he is on parole from a sentence under the new indeterminate sentence law, from the Eastern Penitentiary and he wished to keep up good behavior.

On Wednesday afternoon immediately after the hearing Sheriff Flood received a telegram from the warden of the penitentiary which stated that he had heard that Douglass had broken his parole and that the Sheriff should hold him for the Court's pleasure. The Court instructed Sheriff Flood to wire the warden that the statements that Douglass had just been discharged on habeas corpus by the Court was contested. The parole as far as the record in the case discovered has not, therefore, been broken.

o'clock, aged 64 years.

She leaves one daughter, Miss Mary Walbert and one son, Charles Walbert, both at home. She is also survived by one brother, Jacob G. Sheets, of Cherrian, and one sister, Mrs. Daniel Fry, of Fayetteville.

Funeral on Thursday morning at the house at 9 o'clock. Services in St. Mark's Lutheran church at 10 o'clock by teschaig. Interment in cemetery adjoining the church.

MOSES M. FLAHARTY

Moses M. Flaharty died Tuesday morning about eight o'clock in Washington, D. C.

He was born in Gettysburg and lived here until 1861 when he moved to Washington. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Flaharty, of Gettysburg, his wife and two children. He also leaves a brother, Harry Flaharty, brother and a sister, Gregg Flaharty of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Mary McKeown, of Washington, also survive.

The body will arrive, at 6.05 Thursday, the remains will be taken to the home of his brother, Harry Flaharty.

MRS. CLAYTON BLOCHER

Mrs. Clayton Blocher died at eleven o'clock Wednesday morning at her home near Bonneauville. She was aged about 35 years.

She leaves her husband and the following children: Chandler Blocher, of near Bonneauville; Mrs. Samuel Bream, near Biglerville; Mrs. Harry Crum, John, Alverta and Ruth, at home. Two sons one sister and two brothers also survive. They are Mrs. Mary Bendersville; J. G. Peters, Chambersburg; Cornelius H. Peters, Flemington, N. J., and Charles Peters, Bendersville Methodist church.

Funeral will be held Saturday morning from her late residence.

MARTIN BOLLINGER

Martin Bollinger died at 8.10 a. m. Thursday, at his home in Biglerville, neighbor of an illness of several months aged about 70 years.

He leaves a son, Edward Bollinger and a daughter, Mrs. Several brothers and sisters also survive.

Funeral Saturday morning meeting at the house at 9 o'clock. Rev. C. W. Sheerich will officiate. Interment in Arendtsville, United Brethren church.

TO ERECT LARGE CONCRETE BRIDGE

County Commissioners will have Re-enforced Concrete Bridge Built to Replace Collapsed Structure at Aspers.

To replace the bridge over Possum Creek at Aspers, which collapsed on Monday, the County Commissioners will build a handsome re-enforced concrete granite structure about 90 feet in length.

This is in line with the resolution passed by the Commissioners several years ago when they decided to build nothing but re-enforced concrete bridges. Many concrete arch structures have been erected and both in appearance and in permanency have proved satisfactory.

It is planned by the Commissioners to have the new bridge at Aspers completed by October 1st at a price which it will be exactly in line with the proposed bridge which the Commissioners Hartzell and Carlisle re provided for in the Spring Creek Bill. Whether or not the new bridge will be wide enough to be known until architects' plans are submitted.

It has been generally reported that the old bridge which collapsed on Monday had been condemned. This is denied by Clerk to the Commissioners Mrs. Minty Miller to be incorrect. Mrs. Miller stated that the impression of the rumor by calling attention to the fact that a load of stone which had been loaded unsafe if it had been condemned.

The old bridge was erected about forty years ago. Its collapse is attributed to the weight of the runaway team, which crossed over it. The bridge was built for "ordinary loads" and drop into the creek. That the bridge was condemned is to be proved by citing the passage to heavy four horse teams over it a few minutes before the collapse.

The loss to the road structure is being rapidly cleared away.

BRIDGE COLLAPSES

The bridge over Possum Creek at Aspers collapsed on Monday afternoon about 2 o'clock. The team was being driven by a Mr. Tetzell and the horses had taken fright and was running full speed over the structure. The bridge started to give way and the driver jumped in time to pull the vehicle from the dropping structure to safety, although the rear wheels of the wagon on the bridge across the creek as there is no other way for a wagon to cross by ford-ing.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Register and Recorder Jacob Appler recalls the death of a county resident who attended the first Farmers' Institute ever held in Adams county. The institute was held in the old Court House, the teaching school in Latimore township and Mr. Appler was one of the boys. David Harman, 19 years of age, whose weight was 50 pounds. The boy was a little over 4 feet tall. He died two years later and his weight at the time was 100 pounds.

ELECT ATTORNEY AND DIRECTOR

At a meeting of the directors of the Gettysburg Water Company held Monday Charles B. Duncan, Esq., was elected attorney to succeed the late Wm. M. Sheely, Esq. The place in the board of directors made vacant by the death of David E. Myers was filled by the election of John D. Keith, Esq.

DIVORCES

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Bertha V. Eyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eyler and Lloyd McClain, both of near Fairfield, to take place on Easter Tuesday at 10 o'clock at the home of Miss Eyler.

ROMANCE

The home of Edward Plaster stipped its bride while standing in front of the home of Wilbur Gonseller on East Middle street Tuesday evening and ran away with Gonseller's bride, who was the only 3 ages.

FARM SOLD

Emanuel King has purchased the V. A. Lawrence farm in Oxford township, Pa.

TWO MORE YEARS FOR EDDIE PLANK

Local Pitcher with Philadelphia Athletics is Reported to have Said that Two Seasons would Close his Career.

The year 1912 will witness the retirement of Eddie Plank from baseball, says a newspaper dispatch. At the close of the season two years hence the great southpaw who has been a bulwark of strength for the Athletics since the American league invaded Philadelphia will go back to the farm and the simple life according to the story printed which says:

Plank has told a few of the big left hander from Gettysburg himself. Go like to the ground at Savannah, Ga., one day last week he and Jack Coombs were talking about the arm in on a ball player. Both agreed that each season with its worry, its strain, its physical wear and its mental anxiety takes a little more of the life of every player each season.

"Two more years," said Eddie, "and I think that I will be back to the farm to stay then the rest of my life. I shall quit the game in 1912 and I think that I shall have two more good years.

"I have earned this long rest. In 1911 I will have been a dozen years in the games as a pitcher. I started with Connie Mack and I want to quit with him.

"Most of those fellows who sit in the bleachers envy me when they see how a lad day think that all you have to do is travel around the country and work a couple of hours a day. I must say that baseball is a hard game on the actual work, in twirling one game of baseball there is as much hard work on the farm.

"I am not a marvel and work until somehow in the country and then sleep like a baby. I have to work a great deal of ball and my arm aches, I'm sore over and cannot sleep for pain. You take baseball as a whole it is a hard through. If I haven't enough to live on when I quit I will not be in baseball twice as long.

"Gosling pitched for Eddie in 1910."

FREIGHT CARS DERAILED

Two freight cars standing on a switch south of the Western Maryland depot in Gettysburg were derailed Monday evening during the storm. The wind blew one of the cars over and one hundred feet away from the tracks. The other car was blown more than twenty five feet away. A number of stars blown from the roof of Dr. L. H. Klinefelter's residence and from other buildings, smashing holes in the roofs. The wind blew the heavy iron blown down at the edge of the plate the Western Md. road, causing telegraphic service to be out of commission. The damage was repaired Tuesday morning by repair men from the

RECENT-LINE

At the home of H. S. Crow in Greenmount at tne o'clock Thurs. afternoon Miss Ruth Crow was married to Mr. Harry E. Robert, of Baltimore. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Stonebraker. Mr. and Mrs. Robert left on the 6:05 o'clock train over the Western Maryland for Baltimore, where they will make their future home. Robert being a successful tinner at that place.

SOBRIANITY OF DATES

Good Friday this year falls on April 14, it was on Good Friday that President Lincoln was killed. This is the second time since 1865 that this sinister date has occurred. The first occurred was in 1878. This is also the first time since 1865 that the date of Good Friday and April 14 have corresponded, concerning the robbery of the National Bank of Chambersburg in 1878.

LEFT FOR WESTERN STATE

Harry E. Gettier and Jerry Hull, both of Table Rock, left Monday morning for Sidney, Cowin county, Illinois, where they have secured employment. They went by the way of Niagara Falls, where they will stop for a short time.

MILLINERY opening- I will have my spring and summer opening Saturday, March 25. All are cordially invited. Mrs. J. A. Cornell, Fairfield, Pa. 3-18-2t

CLAYBAUGH GOES TO PENITENTIARY

Pleads Guilty in Charge of Larceny of Chickens and Sentence of from One to Three Years is Imposed. Started at Once.

J. M. Claybaugh plead guilty at a session of Court held Tuesday to the larceny of chickens of Mrs. R. Lee Tipton, East Middle street, several weeks ago and was sentenced to undergo imprisonment of not less than one or more than three years in the Eastern Penitentiary. He was taken in charge by Detective on Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff George Fitzel.

It will be remembered that Clay-baugh's guilt was largely established by the testimony of Harry Crouse who claimed in the hearing before Squire Bertram that Claybaugh had compelled him to go along on the chicken stealing expedition. The arrest was made on the day following the theft.

Edward A. Wenner, Esq., asked for clemency for the prisoner and Jo ge Swope in pronouncing sentence stated Claybaugh's attention to the fact that he was in a position to get off lightly but hundred yards away in the old lumber yard and that the chickens were secured after having been there all night in getting out.

RAILROAD TIE-UP

There was trouble on the Susquehanna road on Wednesday morning which impaired the entire system and delayed all trains in operation until late in the day.

The reliable engine with its trigin which has been pressed into service to haggage car left East Berlin on schedule time in the morning bound for the Junction. When steaming through the yards at the Junction, the engine, the drivers lost their actuation and the train came to a standstill. There was trouble in the steam chest, it was found, but treatment in the roundhouse hospital.

The passengers were transferred to chose of another "plug power" to Hanover Sue miles distant by the air line and reached the Pennsylvania station on the Western Maryland about two hours late.

Incidents along the 'pike, observing string of pedestrians with baggage in hand, thought a theatrical troupe which might have been stranded at New Oxford.

DR. JOHN A. BOSSE

Dr. John A. Bosse, special state medical examiner for the 31st legislative district died at heart failure at his home in Harrisburg.

Dr. Bosse had resided in Harrisburg for several years, going there from Mount Holly Springs, where he practiced medicine. He was born in Maryland, but moved to Cumberland county with Rev. George W. Bosse, a Methodist clergyman. Dr. Bosse attended Gettysburg College and was a Phi Beta Kappa fraternity of Pennsylvania, when he graduated from Dickinson. In later years he was prominent in Royal Arcanum circles.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Maria Smultz, of New Germantown, celebrated her 80th birthday Wednesday at the residence of her son, Amos W. Smultz, on Hanover street.

The lady who has been an invalid for several years, was visited by a number who is cashier of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Table Rock.

Besides her son Amos and family, she is survived by Mrs. C. Bender, of Philadelphia, spent the day with his mother. The youngest son, Harry Smultz, of Philadelphia, was unable to be present.

BAD CHICKENS STOLEN

G. B. Gaither, of Table Rock, had a lot of fine chickens stolen recently. Gaither claims that he knows where Mr. Lewis Lewis lives.

GETTYSBURG RURAL NOTES

Much Visiting on the Rural Routes Starting from Gettysburg. What those Living along the Lines Routes are Doing.

S. H. Derbecker, of route 12, raised his large hay shed last week.

Marvin Bernar sold his driving horse to Solomon Shoemaker, of Littlestown.

Lake Bennar, of route 8, spent last Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowser, of route 7.

Harry Weld, of White Rose, spent Sunday at the home of Jesse Marling, of route 8.

Harry Tenger and wife, of Waynesboro, spent Sunday with Mrs. Tenger's boyd, route 8

Jesse Herring, of route 12, has purchased a driving horse.

Miss Ada Bennar and Miss Ella Hartman are spending several days with S. S. Mauhan, of route 4.

Miss Ella Hartman and Harry Biglerville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Spon, route 6.

Mrs. Newton Horner is having a fine basement house built on her farm near Barlow,

Jesse Herring, of route 12, is having a wind mast and saw mill to be fixed erected on his farm. Harry T. Gerwyn has the contract.

Lee Collins, of near White Church, who owns his own mill is busy with the Mills lightsom to James R. Reese's Mills, which he has leased from Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Weibert, of Waynesboro, and Mr. and Mrs. John Weibert, of Gettysburg, spent Sunday with route 10, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bair, of the same route.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTION

Grace Lutheran Sunday School Tuesday evening elected the following officers for the ensuing year, superintendent, Dr. Harry A. Mckinney; assistant superintendent, Dr. F. W. Epley; 2nd assistant superintendent, Dr. C. H. Buehrig; secretary, T. T. Newman; assistant secretary, Miss Mary Hoffman; treasurer, George W. Epley; librarians, Miss Ruth Hoffman and Miss Hannah Lee; offering ushers, Golda Sherman, Margaret Hoffman, Harry Lee, Ira Schwartz; assistant organist, Miss Margie Fahl; superintendent of cradle roll, Mrs. S. E. Young; assistant, Miss Ruth Hoffman. Sunday School will meet next Sunday morning, April 2, at nine o'clock. A good attendance will be expected, at which time the classes will be arranged.

PROTECTORY READY

Attorney William A. Miller, of York, as solicitor for the Children's Protectory and Agricultural School, to be located in Conewago township, will apply to the York County court for a charter on Monday. The institute will be located in Pumbine Township, near Abbottstown, and is being completed and ready for occupancy. The home has been completed at a cost of $40,000, and contains modern and sanitary conveniences and education of orphan and destitute children will be given. Children of one or both parents, and of boys whose parents are unable or incompetent to support them, and who are otherwise confined to the home will be taught practical and scholastic farming.

CHURCH BURNS FIRE

Fire Monday night destroyed the factory of the Keystoneway Broom Co. and machine interests, entailing a loss of about $3000. The building was a three story structure and at the time the fire was discovered was a high mass of flames. By the time the fire department arrived the whole structure was in ruins and the firemen had to confine their efforts to saving several nearby buildings. Origin of fire unknown.

HIGHER SALARIES FOR THE TEACHERS

Adams County Teachers to be Given Examinations for Permanent Certificates This Law Entitles Fifty Dollar Pay.

County Superintendent Bolt has announced that the examination for teachers for professional certificates will be held some time in May, the day to be fixed later.

Teachers holding high grade professional certificates who possess a thorough knowledge of the common branches and have had an extended successful experience in teaching, may be granted professional certificates this year.

The examination for permanent certificates will be held in the High School building, Gettysburg, April 1st. Teachers who wish to enter the class or have additional branches added to their certificates are requested to correspond with the County Superintendent or any member of the committee, Prof. P. D. Keener, Abbottstown; Prof. Chetlin A. Leidig, Fairfield and Miss Bernadine Carrigan, Littlestown.

Teachers who have received professional certificates and all other teachers holding certificates of a higher grade than a provisional certificate, and who have had a two years' experience since present to school boards certificates of proficiency for the two years from the superintendent under whom they taught.

Teachers applying to the superintendent for professional certificates, whether they wish to teach in Adams county or elsewhere, are requested to do so before the end of the school year.

The State will not pay the increase in salary of fifty dollars to a teacher who cannot present a certificate of proficiency.

The Snyder act allows a minimum remuneration of $50 a month to teachers holding professional, permanent or normal school certificates, and who have successfully taught two years in the public schools of the state. Teachers holding certificates of low grade are given a smaller salary.

The certificate of proficiency does not at its of entitle the holder to teach, but is for examination and to supplement any a certificate of a higher grade than a provisional certificate. Accounts for the increased compensation can be ignored by school directors, notwithstanding that the teachers have professional normal school or academic certificates, in the event that they do not teach in the district which show that they were successful in the practice of teaching during the two years previous.

JOHN C. LOWER IN LOCAL STORE

Well Known Business Man Purchases Share in Gettysburg Department Store formerly Owned by Mr. Miller.

John C Lower has purchased the interest of Mr. E. F. Miller formerly with the Gettysburg Department Store, and that interest became his on March 1st 1911.

Mr. Lower has been engaged in the wholesale grocery trade for the past 15 years, there he's a man of experience, but also he has rige experience in purchasing goods in a Store, for he was for fifteen years with Messers Fink Bergdoll Company of Philadelphia, sixteen years in Philadelphia with Messers H. E. Kleinz & Company and four and one half years with Messrs J. W. Myers and Company of Hagerstown, Md.

During this sellers period Mr. Lee of has had but two weeks' vacation, each week out time.

In the institute the Department Store upon securing a man of Mr. Lowers ability and record can now make a choice. Engineers and architects are employed at present working out the advantages of both locations, and the statement is made that he had not yet started drafting plans for the building, but that it will soon until Mr. Gladfelter had given his decision as to location.

The report became current recently that Mr. Gladfelter would move to Hanover, but this is emphatically untrue. Most of his time is spent in the Star Hotel, Hanover and he is intimately involved with the progress of Hanover and has no thought of ever such there if for no other reason it is the social life of Hanover and he is not extended into through Europe with his family this summer.

CAPTAIN A. M. WINTER.

W. A. Mellhenny has received a letter from Lexington, North Carolina, announcing the death of Captain A. M Hunter, formerly Captain of Company K, 138th Pennsylvania. He was well known Adams County. He died from a stroke of paralysis. The company "G" and promoted to first lieutenant. Then he was one of the company at the end of three years' service. He was a member of Lodge No. 87, Loyal National Bank of Gettysburg. He is survived by his wife who was Mrs Annie Boyd.

SAYS THE AUTOS SPEED

Mellhenryburn is complaining of autoists speeding. A correspondent writes: "Automobiles are the nuisance are becoming disgusted on account of their speeding. Last Sunday a car from town at breakneck speed. Thursday a machine passed through here on the Main street at such speed that had a team from either of the roads been encountered Main street it would have been impossible to avoid a collision. This is the usual disastrous and probably fatal result of speeding and will take some action to put a stop to this practice."

HOT SCALDS.

Walter, the eighteen months son of Jacob B. Herbaugh, of near Barlow, was very painfully scalded on Monday morning when water exploded on a stove, the boiling liquid being thrown all over the child. The clothing was torn from the sides of his head and face were terribly scalded and for an hour the little sufferer gets until he was given relief. The quick application of cotton batting allayed the pain and at this writing he is getting along nicely.

CARPENTERS IN JOINT.

Frank Slagle, Gettysburg, carpenter, has entered with an assistant in Hanover, and will conduct a shop in the basement of the Fiscals home of the right of way. Mr. Slagle was operating in the same building before from the rear of the old Forney building, which is razed entire, to the building recently erected him, with the above result. Dr. Charles A. Krapf rented the fronter.

DIVORCES GRANTED

The Dauphin and Libanon were recently visited by Hon Allen Smith, President Judge, Commissioner Hon. Nathaniel Connell, and Mr. Jos. Cox Stenographer.

PAT

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I was tramping in Switzerland. I set out one morning from Trarp on the road to Geneva. I was waiting after enjoying the beautiful prospect about me—Lake Leman and white Alpine peaks in the foreground—when I heard behind me a wagon coming and turned to see a two horse team and two drivers. Over its shoulder he cursed at me in a way all of which was using a headdress handkerchief, evidently to protect his face from the dust. I thought:

"Upon my word," I said to myself, "if there isn't a man of my own race! I did take tramping along here in Switzerland."

There is a kinship among those who are the same blood regardless of race, and when they meet in foreign lands. It was this kinship that believed me to increase my pace till I reached the team. Then I fell in with the drivers and ran a good natured face and an honest Irish face. I had found a countryman and a mate.

"The top of the morning to you, sir," I said to the driver. "Top o' the morning!"

"And how did you know me name was Pat?" he asked.

"Oh, you green islanders are all at one! Pat—Pat—Pat! It's the very cleanest of hitting your name."

"Faith, and you may be rejoined, "unless you're a colonist. I know that by your face."

"I'm an American. But what has brought you to Switzerland? Have you left your native land to seek your fortune? Are you looking for a chance to marry money and so become one of the new lords?"

"Where there's a fellow to do all the work."

My reply to this was a smile. The countryman took it as an insult and was as broad as that of an Irish peasant. "Sir," he said, "I am not ashamed of hauling for a job in Switzerland I could not get elsewhere."

Whether it was that I longed for the companionship of one who had a common language or because there was something about the honest face of my fellow traveler I don't know, but I was drawn to him and said: "Pat, I'm a rich man. I've come to Europe for a fling. Coming in a village, we sat down together at a table in the open air at a hotel on the margin of the lake and ordered a luncheon. Pat was a handsome fellow, with a face that sparkling with wit and humor, but which was also unevenly accentuated. I undertook to ask him how he came by his looks, but he wouldn't have it. I insisted that he tell me, and he said that he was not for having been so pleasantly cheered, as he would like to tell me. Then he said, money enough to take him to Canada, and as soon as he got there would pay his own way.

"Pat," I said, "I'm getting was that you have been in trouble. Now, I've passed a cheer hotel be proposed to me to buy it. Will you go into the hotel with me? I chose the same because it was the first I came to. Pat and I took the seat day toward Dijon, Switzerland. He called the good natured landlord to him and ordered a bottle of wine. The landlord, who took Pat for a guest, brought the wine in other way for him to get home but by and by he couldn't walk and he hadn't sufficient money to ride. I told him that I was going to Paris and had before returning to America and that I would like to have his company. I converged to buy the best, and, with the wine, I had a fine lunch. The amount. On parting with this I asked him what he was to be doing in Switzerland. He smiled that good natured smile of his and said that he would be explained when I saw him again.

It was several months before I saw Pat. I was in Dublin, and one day in Dublin I posted a letter announcing my arrival in Queenstown. I had a reply from a village not far from the city, and I went down to see the letter. The landlord in the village, who had a relative of his old trouble, chief among which was a love affair, and I kindly rose with the letter." There was a letter from Pat, and it read:

I thought there must be some mistake in the letter you sent me, but I was not sure, and I went to the police station, where I found a carriage with a driver who knew me. He was a good hearer of the note. I was put into the carriage and driven for an hour, when we turned into a handsome place. At the door of the house I saw a man sitting on the porch with one leg thrown over the arm of his chair. He stood grim, evidently at the surprise of my visit. I was met by a man of some other than my fellow traveler, Pat.

"Pat!" I exclaimed.

"I am a gentleman," he said, "and a gentleman's son and the others of the family are away. I have been left in charge of Erinna since his father and mother have gone to Switzerland. He had fancied in young as an Irish peasant having taken a fancy to me, and I consented to go with him. I have been treated as a gentleman since I left Dublin. I have had the best of everything, and I have had a carriage with a driver and driven for an hour. Now we are

PREPARING FOR NEW BUILDING

Experiment to Find Kind of Earth and Stone to be Contended with in Planning for New Government Structure.

Under the direction of Postmaster C. William Beam four holes have been sunk on the site of the proposed new post office building at the corner of Baltimore and High streets for the purpose of ascertaining what kind of ground and rock are present.

The work was done upon the request of the Supervising Architect at Washington, who is completing the plans for the government structure, work on which is expected to be started about July 1st. He desired to know what conditions would have to be met in drawing up the specifications for the foundation of the building.

The four holes varied in depth from ten to fifteen feet. Two of them produced sand rock and the others, the deeper ones, clay. Local masons declare both to be admirably adapted for the work intended, and the architect will be so advised.

The two story structure as planned has been fully described in these columns. The appropriation of $100,000 for its erection was secured at the last session of Congress through the efforts of Congressman Lafean.

The work on the site has made a number of holes which are more or less dangerous and parents are requested to forbid their children playing about the premises.

SCOUTS TO WATCH TRAMPS

The Gettysburg Troop of Boy Scouts are much interested in the announcement that Daniel C. Beard, National Scout Commissioner of the Boy Scouts of America, has devised a means by which the boys throughout the country can make a systematic war upon yeggmen and hoboes who molest housewives, and rob homes. He is doing this by teaching the boys the secret signs of the yegg fraternity, so that the boys may know them and tell what the mystical marks on fences, houses and other buildings mean. By making the secrets of the tramps common knowledge Beard hopes to destroy the communication between the tramps and thus prevent them from doing so much harm.

As Beard has learned these signs and can decipher them, he has arranged to teach them to the boys, and it is probable that in the new Manual of the Boy Scouts of America, which will soon reach Gettysburg Scouts, he will have several pages devoted to these symbols and their meanings. If the boys learn them they can read the messages of the hoboes along the public highways. If the signs are dangerous to people the boys can rub them off and warn the police.

All this means that the secrecy of the hoboes will be destroyed, thanks to Beard and the energy of the Boy Scouts of America. It means that if the hoboes wish to continue their symbolistic communication, they must work out new signs and this would take years.

Announcement is made definitely by the Executive Board of the Boy Scouts of America that the national organization this year will not undertake the arrangement of a camp for the boys.

The plan of a national encampment in view of the youth of the scouts and of many other circumstances was not deemed wise. The idea, however, is to have the local organizations in different states hold encampments and if possible to have different cities and towns in one state hold their camps in the same place. It is thought also such an arrangement will enable the boys to have more fun.

SEVERE STORM

A severe wind, rain and hail storm passed over Getysburg and the county Monday afternoon. Only minor damage was done here but in neighboring counties it was more severe. In York County trees were uprooted, telegraph poles torn down and buildings unroofed.

A barn on the farm of John Ness, north of York, was picked up by the wind and carried a distance of 150 feet, being thrown against the power transmission wire of the York Haven Company. The wire was torn down, crippling York's trolley and electric light system.

A mile south of York on the farm of John Hiltebrecht, a stone barn was demolished, it being knocked to the ground like so much paper.

TO OPEN APRIL 15

A party of officials of the Western Maryland Railroad Company visited Pen Mar in anticipation of making a number of improvements to the park before the opening of the season. The officials announced that the park would be opened on April 15th this year instead of May 15th.

LIVELY TIME IN THE THIRD WARD

Chief Shealer Enters Home on Hogan's Alley and Takes from it Alleged Disturber of the Peace. Several Charges.

Chief of Police John Shealer entered the home of John Valentine, Hogan's Alley, Third Ward, on Sunday evening and took therefrom one large colored gentleman, George W. Jackson by name, who is now in the county jail charged with threatening Charles Powell, of this place, and is confronted with the prospect of having two charges of assault and battery preferred against him, one by Susie Cook and the other by his sister.

The arrest grew out of one of the weekly Sunday night brawls which have become or more less frequent in the Third Ward. When Chief Shealer arrived on the scene he found the residents of the neighborhood in a state of general excitement over the row in the Valentine home. There was considerable racket and one of the forms of activity seemed to be running in and out of the house with a lighted lamp.

Chief Shealer ordered quiet when he reached the house and, going into the room, discovered in the midst of the assemblage the said Jackson behind the stove. He took the man to the lock-up where he was kept all night and next morning was lodged in jail.

Charles Powell had summoned the officer to the scene of the disturbance claiming that Jackson had knocked down Susie Cook on High street and that he had threatened him (Powell) with bodily harm. The story of the assault by Jackson on his own sister has not yet come to light. Both she and Susie Cook intend to bring charges of assault and battery, it is said.

Jackson has been a resident of Gettysburg for about a month and has been doing some work here since that time. He was formerly a resident of Steelton.

REV. DR. C. L. KEEDY

Rev. Dr. Cornelius L. Keedy, one of the most prominent citizens of Hagerstown and well known in Gettysburg, died suddenly of heart disease Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at his residence, aged 77 years.

Dr. Keedy was found dead sitting in a chair in the hallway of the house by his little grandson, Marbourg Keedy, who thought he was sleeping and tried to waken him. He had been walking in the yard about the house and just before he went in was fixing a fence.

He had not been complaining recently and was thought to be in better health than usual, although in recent years he had been ailing. Rev. Dr. C. L. Keedy was a Lutheran minister and preached at various charges. In 1878 he purchased the Hagerstown Female Seminary, although he took control in June, 1875. He continued to conduct the school, the name of which was later changed to Kee Mar College, until about 12 years ago, when the institution changed hands. Dr. Keedy was a graduate of the College and Seminary at this place. Funeral Monday in Hagerstown.

MRS. IDA MILBERRY

The funeral of the largest person ever buried in Adams County took place on Monday in Gettysburg when the body of Mrs. Ida Milberry, colored, was interred in the Colored Cemetery at this place. Mrs. Milbery's weight was almost five hundred pounds.

It was with difficulty that the casket was taken from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Anderson, without removing a portion of the door frame and eight pall bearers were necessary to carry the coffin.

Mrs. Milberry died on Sunday at the home of her daughter with whom she had been making her home for the past two years. Prior to that time she was a resident of Maryland. She was about 55 years of age and dropsy was the cause of her death.

ECKERT—BRAME

At noon today at the home of the bride in Straban township, near town, Miss Edna M. Brame, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brame and John D. Eckert, of Gettysburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Eckert, were married by the Rev. Ira F. Brame, of Carlisle. The groom is an employee of the Gettysburg Ice and Storage Company and among those connected with that plant who attended the wedding were, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B Dougherty, Curtis Everhart and Emory Cleveland.

GOOD SALE

F. N. Frommeyer's sale near town on Monday brought a total of $3500. One horse sold for $250 and the highest cow brought $59.00. G. R. Thompson was the auctioneer.

SUNDAY SERVICE WILL CONTINUE

Gettysburg Patrons of Local Post Office will Continue to Receive Mail Sunday Afternoon. Curtailment at Other Places.

The work at the Gettysburg post office on Sundays will not be affected by the order recently issued from the Post Office Department regarding the curtailing of such work wherever possible without detriment to the service.

At the local office this consists principally of giving mail to those who call for it between the hours of two and three o'clock Sunday afternoon. This was inaugurated several years ago and has proved to be very popular, much more so, in fact, than was anticipated. It is said at the office that those taking advantage of it are principally private individuals and that it is not generally used by the business people of town.

The convenience of getting this Sunday mail, however, has proved so popular that it will be continued. In some places it has been discontinued except in the case of transients.

The other work at the local office will be carried on as usual with the Sunday afternoon collection and dispatch of mail over the Reading at 4:45.

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, APRIL 8th., 1911

The undersigned will sell at public sale at his residence in Oxford township, Adams county, Pa., on the road from New Oxford to Hanover, 1½ miles from the former place, formerly known as the John Mowery farm, the following personal property, to wit:

4 Head of Horses and Colts, bay mare 9 years old, work wherever hitched, a good driver, fearless of all road objects, is kind and gentle, has been much driven by women and children; brown horse 14 years old, works anywhere except in single lead, entirely fearless of all road objects, this is an old pet and would be particularly suitable for a lady or aged man; 2 well bred and well built Kentucky colts, 1 a sorrel mare rising 2 years, the other a horse rising 1 year, both have good action and good sense, and will likely make good drivers.

12 Head of Durham Cattle, 7 milk cows, all except one have been fresh in January, as to age they have had from 1 to 5 calves, all are gentle and easy milkers, 2 heifers, 2 months old; 3 bulls, two are 1 year old the other 2 months. The older cattle are carefully selected Virginia and Ohio stock and the younger cattle bred from them.

2 Chester White Brood Sows, 1 will have pigs by time of sale, the other has 7 pigs, will be 4½ weeks old by day of sale; 4 shoats weighing 90 to 100 pounds.

Hench & Dromgold drill in good condition; milk cans, etc.

Sale to begin at 1 o'clock sharp, when terms will be made known by

J. H. H. MILLER,

A credit of 10 months will be given on all sums of $5.00 and upward.

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George Meckley, clerk.

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POULTRY NOTES

BY C. M. BARNITZ RIVERSIDE PA.

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HOW TO FINELY FINISH TURKEYS

About two weeks before Thanksgiving stories on turkey fattening appear, and most of them advise close confinement and lots of corn.

They are neither timely nor do they bring best results.

Finely finished birds that bring the bon ton are not built in a day.

For the first six months of a turk's life it should be fed much protein to build big bone and large, strong frame.

The flock should then be divided into breeders and market birds.

The former should live a normal, natural life to fit them for reproduc-

A FINELY FINISHED TURKEY.

tion, while the latter should be separated into three parts, gobblers, hens and smaller or backward birds, these to be kept distinct, not more than thirty to the bunch.

What is meant by finishing fowls?

This is a process by which weight is not only added, but the flesh is softened by displacing the water, of which the muscles are largely composed, with globules of fat, these permeating the whole flesh so that the bird is a juicy perfecto and not packed with lumps of fat, much of it waste.

While corn is chief ration for yellow meated birds, it must be offset with vegetables and cannot be continued so long or liver trouble results.

For a real finish use the following: Equal parts ground oats, barley, buckwheat and wheat mids wet up with

AN UNFINISHED TURKEY (NOTE DIFFERENCE).

skimmilk or buttermilk to the consistency of cream, to which add a half ounce of warm tallow for each bird.

Feed in clean troughs morn and night all they will eat with a relish, at noon giving scalded oats or wheat or raw vegetables, such as apples, beets, turnips. Shell, grit, charcoal and plenty of fresh water are essential, a roomy shed and yard are needed, and the fowls should be kept free from filth, lice and excitement.

Three to four weeks are needed to bring birds to perfection. The finished turkey herein portrayed gained eight pounds in that time.

WHAT CAME OF A FLIRTATION

By E. BARTLET THORPE

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Jack Mendenhall and myself were midshipmen together in the navy. One day while our ship was lying at anchor in Japanese waters Jack and I got permission to go ashore together.

We sauntered along one of the streets till we came to the outskirts, where the houses were farther apart and their surroundings more ample. Passing a garden inclosed by a low wall, we saw a couple of pretty Japanese girls picking flowers. Jack took out his handkerchief—the method in those days of flirting; I don't know how they do it now—and waved it. We were not more than a dozen yards from the girls, one of whom, seeing a couple of European youngsters in uniform, tossed a rose over the wall. It fell at Jack's feet. He picked it up, inhaled its odor, kissed it and put it in the buttonhole of his jacket.

Both girls laughed, and the other girl threw another rose, which I picked up, inhaled, kissed and put in my own buttonholes. Then, like good boys, we walked on. We didn't care to appear too presuming, and we didn't wish to frighten the little birds by rushing matters. But we didn't walk very far. We soon turned and went back toward the place where we had seen the girls. We argued that if they wished for our further acquaintance they would remain where they were, expecting our return.

We found them in exactly the same place, but as we drew near they turned their backs upon us. Jack gave a loud "Ahem!" One of the girls turned and smiled. I gave another "Ahem!" and the other girl turned also. This was enough for Jack, who needed only a moiety of encouragement, and he vaulted the wall. I followed him. It was making an acquaintance under difficulties, we not speaking the Japanese language and they not knowing a word of English. Jack, whose boldness naturally gave him the initiative, pointed to the flowers growing about us and by a well enacted pantomime indicated that we would like some of them. The girls understood, pinched a lot for each of us, then by pantomime asked us to inspect the grounds.

Of course we got separated, Jack going with her who had thrown him the rose, I with her companion, who had favored me. Why they took the liberty of receiving us so unceremoniously I didn't know. They were surely of the samurai class and must have been of wealthy and respectable parents, for the place in which they lived was a large one and their kimonos were made of the finest texture. I was inclined to think that papa and mamma were not at home. At any rate, we spent a couple of hours with them, chatting all the while in the unspoken language of love which young people don't need to study. Before parting with them we exhibited sufficient ingenuity to inform them that we would call again as soon as we could get another leave.

It was two days after this that we were ordered to report in the captain's cabin. We found there a couple of Japanese men of the higher class and a third who was an interpreter. The men looked as solemn as owls.

"Young gentlemen," said the captain, "since you were the only officers ashore on leave the day before yesterday I think that a message brought by these persons must be for you. Besides, I recognize these gewgaws as belonging to you."

He held up a scarfpin that I had given one of the girls and a ring Jack had given the other. Jack and I were dumfounded. The captain motioned the interpreter to speak. He told us that each of us having given a present to a young girl—a gift in Japan being considered a proposition of marriage—their fathers had come aboard to say that two noble Japanese families would feel honored at an alliance with so great a nation as the United States by giving a daughter to each of the young officers who had asked for her hand.

The matter was far too serious to warrant any expression of amusement. The captain saw at once that we had got into a flirtation and unwittingly proposed marriage. Not wishing to give offense, he took the matter into his own hands, much to the relief of us youngsters who had got into the scrape.

"Tell the gentlemen," he said to the interpreter, "that, representing the United States, I am highly honored that the propositions of my officers should be accepted, but that since the offer was made without permission I shall be obliged to lay the matter before the president. I sail for America tomorrow, will discover his excellency's wishes, if possible obtain his permission and act accordingly."

The interpreter translated the captain's speech, and the Japanese gentleman signified acquiescence and after leaving their addresses, with all necessary information, departed.

"Gentlemen," said the captain when our would be fathers-in-law had gone, "you may consider yourselves under arrest. To suffer any of my officers to put a slight upon the Japanese people might cost me my commission."

We sailed the next day, and on reaching American waters the captain wrote to Japan that, while the president felt highly honored that two noble Japanese families had accepted the proposition of two of his young naval officers, in the American navy marriage was discouraged and permission could not be granted.

Farm and Garden

DIRECTIONS FOR SPRAYING.

Suggestions For Getting Best Results Offered by Wisconsin Authority.

To spray home orchards and get the best results the following suggestions are offered by the horticultural department of the agricultural experiment station of the University of Wisconsin:

Fungous diseases and insects usually work upon trees at the same time; therefore use a spray of bordeaux mixture to which some arsenical poison has been added. Ten ounces of Paris green or three pounds of arsenate of lead added to fifty gallons of bordeaux mixture will control the codling moth or apple worm and apple scab.

Most fruit growers will find it more advisable to purchase arsenicals in the prepared form than to mix them at home, which involves much labor and care. Bordeaux mixture, which is used for spraying to prevent fungous

PEACH TWIGS.

[Twig at left sprayed with commercial spray diluted with water at rate of one part of spray to sixteen of water. Disease not controlled. Twig at right sprayed with regular homemade lime sulphur. Disease perfectly controlled. From bulletin New Jersey agricultural experiment station.]

diseases, should be prepared at home. To get the best results a strong pressure pump with good nozzles that will throw a fine mist spray should be used.

Growers should watch the development of the trees closely at blossoming time and make a thorough application before the calyx of the apple closes. The leaves and stems of branches not fruiting should be covered with spray up to the top of the tree. The spray should be thrown from many directions so as to cover both sides of the leaves thoroughly.

As a general rule the first spraying should be made just before the buds open, with 200 gallons of bordeaux mixture, including poison for each 200 trees. The second application should be made just after the blossoms fall, with 350 gallons; the third application ten days later, the fourth two weeks after the third, and the fifth three weeks after the fourth. The last three sprayings should be made with 400 gallons of bordeaux mixture and poison.

The average farmer needs to do a lot more work with his pencil. He must know, not guess, the profit and loss.

Orchard and Garden.

Plan for a variety of vegetables. Try Swiss chard, kale, endive, Brussels sprouts and others not usually found in the home gardens. Vegetables which are liked the best by your family should be planted in succession. Such crops as peas, bush beans, sweet corn, beets and radishes should be planted at intervals of ten days or two weeks to supply a succession.

There is too much handwork in most home gardens. So much is unnecessary. A seed drill will sow in a few minutes as much as can be planted by hand in one hour. Many farmers who do not have seed drills could easily afford them. They sow more regularly and at a more uniform depth than is possible by hand.

Do not plant lima beans in the open until the ground is quite warm. The bush limas are becoming more popular and are planted at same distances as ordinary bush beans.

Take chances in planting some sweet corn ten days or two weeks earlier than usual. If it fails the loss will be slight, and if there is no mishap the gain may be great.

If some cucumbers have been started under glass a planting of seed should also be made in the open to insure a crop late in the summer and during the early fall.

Hubbard squash should be more generally grown and used on town and country tables. When properly cooked and seasoned it is a delicious vegetable and is available for use from October until June. The hills should be 8 by 8 feet apart and enriched with rotten manure unless the land is quite fertile. They may also be grown in rows eight feet apart, drilling the seed and thinning plants to about two feet.—National Stockman and Farmer.

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YORK SPRINGS

York Springs, June 30.—Michael Hoke and wife made a business trip to Hanover on day last week.

John Weaver and wife, Chester Wallis and wife spent Sunday with Emanuel Sparrabet and wife, of near Hampton.

George Myers and his mother made a business trip to Carlisle on Saturday.

Miss Maude Bates, of Littlestown, is visiting at the parsonage.

Rev. Bates and wife, Jacob Bolen and wife.

Ralph Harry, of Westfield, N. J., is home for a few days.

Mitchel Hoke and Benjamin Shank made a business trip to Hanover on Wednesday.

Gilbert Fair has purchased an automobile.

James H. Neely and wife moved back to their farm on Wednesday.

Robert Miller, of Harrisburg, was home over Sunday.

J. D. Clapper has moved on Charles Sebold's farm in town.

LIBERTY HALL

Liberty Hall, March 31—Mr and Mrs. Hockensmith, of Taneytown; Mrs. Harry Bichel and daughter Maude, Helen and Benjamin, spent Sunday with mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fleak.

Harry Weidemoy, of Lancaster, and C. C. Weimer, of Mt. Airy, Md., were day visitors in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bair and two sons, Sherman, Milton and Lawrence, spent Sunday with John Bair and family, at Taneytown.

Mr. L. Baker and J. H. Pecher will, at what is supposed was a mad dog last Friday evening. They ran a fierce hound and both are still expressions of suffering with hydrophobia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hahn and little daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. L. Baker and wife.

Clarence Seabrook is on the sick list.

Liberty Hall school closed last Friday with twelve pupils not missing a day during the entire term.

CHURCH NOTICES

ARENDTSVILLE REFORMED

Church services on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, subject of the sermon "Casting Back to God."

REFORMED

Sunday School 9:15 a. m.; church service 10:30 a. m.; church service 7 p. m. by pastor subject of sermon to visit St. Mark's church at 2 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN

Morning service this Sunday School 9.15; Senior Christian Endeavor Society 6.45; evening service 7.30. There will be communion at the morning service. Preparatory service Saturday at 2.00 p. m.

METHODIST

Sunday School at 9.15 Sunday morning; Epworth League in the evening at 7.00; preaching at 8.00. Captain Allen Coolidge of the Salvation Army from Gettysburg will be present and present their cause. A cordial invitation to all.

ABBOT ENTER HOME

All children of the town who will be six years old between this time and the fall of 1912 will be admitted to the Abbott Boston's school, High street, Gettysburg, April 1. Mrs. Abbott will apply for admission after that date.

Mrs. Thompson Supervising Principal.

Dr. S. G. Stephens from West High street has had the misfortune to break his arm.

Letters of Interesting News From Adams County Towns

Personals and Items of News Interest from Various Towns in the County. What the People in the Different Sections are Doing. Entertaining Visitors. Services in the County Churches

ORRTANNA

Orrtanna, March 31—Miss Meg Knauly has gone with Chatlby and Myrtle Krouse to Hillsdeville where she will attend the spring term of the Basic Normal School.

Mrs. Samuel Walter and family spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs Charles Hinkelman.

Mrs Susan Bobbon, of Gettysburg, is entertained here after a brief visit with her parents.

John Shower will move Wednesday to Orrtanna where he has purchased a small farm, intending to go into the poultry business.

The people of our town have been entertained lately by some speaking crusaders selling different articles and the financial drawback connected with the people of the town. The professional crusaders have left and the daily operations resume.

Mrs Harry Clock and son, Kenneth, have returned to their home near Mont Alto after a two days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rowe.

Those who took the control examination for teachers at the High School were Hey Kroudy, Carl Bowers, and Harold Brodbeck, all coming through successful with their work.

Mr. Lady has been weaving of blankets for their special benefit.

Mrs. William Rowe and daughters Mary and Bessie, spent Sunday with M. Stonesifer and family.

Mr. Hoffman, of New York, attended the funeral of Mrs F. M. Linn Wednesday.

Those who visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Linn on Sunday afternoon were Misses Catherine Hahn of York, Ruth Stonesifer of Arendtsville, Clara Knox, of near Orrtanna Messrs. Ira Williams and Harry Stonesifer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knox, of Knoxlyn.

A number of students of Gettysburg Seminary came by train to Orrtanna Saturday noon, which is their home, and Cold Springs a distance of ten miles, where they will spend the week end for the benefit of the Lutheran charge at that town.

The funeral of Mrs. J. M. Linn was largely attended, but four are acting as pall bearers. When the funeral procession was on the way to Gettysburg for interment, it was met by the first mules on a sudden stop causing considerable trouble in handling. A neighbor's carriage was procured for the accommodation people and the funeral thus proceeded.

KRALLTOWN

Krolltown, March 31—Miss Katie Gross called on Mrs. M. L. Bankert Saturday.

Fay's and Paul Bankert spent Sunday with Joseph Smith and family.

H. H. Spahr and Clarence Griffin took a trip to Hanover Wednesday.

George Gircbaar and wife, of York, Mrs. A. C. Baker and daughter Pearl, were guests of Ephraim Smith and wife Sunday.

A. O Thompson, wife and son, Willis Reynolds, wife and daughter, Margaret, were East Berlin visitors Saturday with P. K. Strayer and family.

Clarence Griffin, spent Sunday with York on business.

Mr. Bankert and family spent Sunday visiting friends in this vicinity. Mrs. Bankert will remain for a few days in this vicinity Monday evening. Very little change was done.

Mrs. Lizzie Gross, of Miles Ahland passed through here last week from East Berlin.

BENDERSVILLE

Bendersville, Mar. 27—E. L. Gramer, of Philadelphia, visited friends a town last week.

Mrs. Harry Becker, of Gardners, spent several days the week with Miss Ida Stonesifer.

William Wilson, of Flora Dale, has returned to his home after attending School after spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wilson.

Harold Beaty is visiting relatives in Philadelphia for a few days.

H. E. Hines, of Washington, D. C., is spending several days with his family on Main street.

Miss Ruth Gramer, a student at West Chester Normal, has returned to school after spending the vacation with her mother, Mrs. Charles Hinkle.

Arendtsville, March 31—Last sunday night we had a good soaking rain and on Sunday evening a heavy hail shower.

The farmers report their grain and grass fields in the low parts considerably injured from the last freezing and thawing weather during the latter part of February and the early part of March.

The Bell Telephone Company has placed a dozen of their men at work on their line in this section. They have their headquarters for the present at the Mountain House in this place.

The prices that horses, mules, cows and hogs were bringing at the spring sales would seem to indicate that the farming industry is in a good healthy state of affairs.

Here is Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hickinger, a daughter.

Mrs John N. Bentzel, of York, is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. S. S. Rice, in this place.

Clyde H. Lady who is teaching in Ebensburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with his wife in this place, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram C. Lady.

The spring has come now and flitting is in vogue. Next will be preparing the land and general farm work.

A post card shower was given Mrs. Margaret R. Taylor of Arendtsville on March 26th in honor of her birthday anniversary. A card that she thinks all her friends, relatives and neighbors. She received 75 cards.

DRYSONIA

Drysonia, March 31—The following removals are noted, Robert Swanger, from the Bridge Creek to Daniel Minter's house; Harry Fant to the Bridge Creek; Mrs. Elizabeth Swanger to G. T. Beckenbaugh's farm to Orrtown; Jacob Bair to the Bridge Creek farm; Curtis Thomas from L. Swanger's farm to the Bridge Creek; ed by Simon Fant; Aaron Taylor to the Bridge Creek property.

Simon Fant and wife, J. D. Crum and wife, Dorsey Crum and wife, made a business trip to Gettysburg on Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Hohe and Mrs. George Bishop spent Thursday with Joseph Hohe.

Mrs. Bailey Swope spent Monday with Mrs. Thomas. She purchased a fine driving horse.

Mr. Swanger and wife took Elmer with Oliver Knouse and family on Sunday.

C. H. Morrison and son, Glenn, of Bendersville, spent a few hours at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hohe Sunday.

David Thomas has erected a new chicken house.

William Hartman is going into the huckstering business this spring.

Reuben Lupp and Simon Fant have each purchased a pair of fine blood mares.

Clara Myers and Harry Hartman are attending their Easter vacation at their homes.

WHITE RUN

White Run, March 31—Grace Sunday School will meet in the afternoon on Sunday by re-electing all of last year's officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Flaccl were guests on Sunday at the home of Dr. W. S. Snyder in East Berlin.

Edward Lightner, a member of the White Run Sunday School, delivered his telephone installed one day last week. Congratulations. The line is installed also before long.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Bowers, spent Sunday afternoon with Hugh Flaccl of this place.

Miss Alma Flaccl, of New Oxford, is visiting at the home of Charles Flaccl and family.

Mrs. J. I. Thomas and daughter, and Mrs. Charles Bowers (nee), have finished quilting three quilts.

NEW OXFORD

New Oxford, March 31—H. Brown Shelly resides on the John B Kain farm near New Oxford will start the erection of a new house this week.

The auction at the Miller shoe store on Saturday brought in a large crowd of people.

Miss Ada Marshall, of Womelsdorf, spent Sunday with his uncle. Dr. J. L. Marshall, Center Square.

D. F. Seitz, of Gettysburg, was a New Oxford visitor today.

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A post card shower was given Mrs. Margaret R. Taylor of Arendtsville on March 26th in honor of her birthday anniversary. A card that she thinks all her friends, relatives and neighbors. She received 75 cards.

BARLOW

Barlow, March 31—At the services at Mt. Joy on Sunday morning, Miss Rose Boyle secretary of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, read excellent address on the geography growth of the society and the work that has been accomplished in the past and is accomplishing at the present. After the address a society was organized at Mt. Joy.

The Mt. Joy Sunday School was reorganized on Sunday and the following officers were elected: superintendent, John W. Bonner; assistant superintendent, John W. Black; secretary, S. Elmer Spangler; treasurer, O. G. Sheretz; librarians, Gertrude Spangler and Clarence L. Smith; organist, Emma Shirley.

Mrs. Franklin Horner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Horner, of this place, and Mr. Noss, of Silver Run, Md., were married by the Rev. Stewart Bowers, of Littlestown, on March 25. In the utterance the newly married couple will make an extended honeymoon trip to Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pauls and daughter, Miss Ethel, spent Sunday over and family on Sunday afternoon.

The Mt. Joy store opened now and flitting is in vogue. Next will be preparing the land and general farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bair and family spent Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bair, near Bonneauville.

Mrs. Jacob Bair and daughter, Miss Ethel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Pauls and family.

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VIRGINIA MILLS

Virginia Mills, March 31—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crouse entertained over the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Curran and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reichert and two children, of Fountain Dale, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Sell and family.

Those who spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lightner and family were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd and children, Oliver, Clarence, Earl and Florence, of Fayetteville R. D. 2.

Mrs Oliver Lightner and daughter, Treva, spent Saturday in Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Daywalt spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sengle, of Fayetteville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peters and children, Goldie and Ethel, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Sell, of Fairfield Station.

Virginia Mills, March 31—School will take begin in the Virginia Mills school house on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Troxell purchased a fine driving horse.

Mr. Spencer and wife took Elmer with Oliver Knouse and family on Sunday.

C. H. Morrison and son, Glenn, of Bendersville, spent a few hours at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hohe Sunday.

David Thomas has erected a new chicken house.

William Hartman is going into the huckstering business this spring.

Reuben Lupp and Simon Fant have each purchased a pair of fine blood mares.

Clara Myers and Harry Hartman are attending their Easter vacation at their homes.

EAST BERLIN

East Berlin, March 31—The Spring Grove Cornet Band gave a fine concert one evening last week in the opera house after which they gave a fine minstrel show in the Opera House. The hall was crowded and all who were present say that it was a good show. They will give a dance in Knox's dancing hall.

A heavy thunder storm passed over here on Monday evening.

The Sittings are very numerous in the Lutheran church. Many of this place is rehearsing for a play entitled, "Mrs. Jones Entertains" and "The Invitation of a Candidate."

Mrs. Sallie Bair is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Bell made a business trip to Gettysburg recently.

Mr. Bell made a trip to York Springs one day recently.

The Ladies Aid of Lutheran Sunday Schools are rehearsing for an Easter concert.

The boys sale of A. A. Crouse was largely attended on Saturday.

Bell will be preaching in the Evangelical church on Sunday at 10 a. m.

GAY MILLS

A collision occurred one mile west of Fairfield on the Fairfield-Gettysburg trolley line on Saturday morning when a motor car from Gettysburg, bound for Fairfield, and a motor car from Fairfield, bound for Gettysburg, met at the Wisner Turnout.

Motorman Ralph Hoff, of Fairfield, was slightly injured by a fall to the floor of the car. Conductor Harry Hoff, of Fairfield, escaped injury. The cars were damaged to the extent of about $100 each.

KINGSDALE

Kingsdale, March 30—Those who moved: Samuel Crouse, of Hoosier Store, moved into Mrs. S. Noel's house in this place; Harry Dagnolt of this place moved on the David Bair farm near Hoosier; Mrs. Dora Fisher, of Hunter moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Dagnolt; A. K. Fesser, of near this place moved to Littlestown; J. H. King moved to Littlestown and Willis Bailey moved on the property owned by Mr. King; A. S. Horner of near Jacobs Church moved to the house over Block's school house.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers and daughter, Ruth, of Littlestown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Newton Bowers, of this place.

J. E. Bowers spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Jacob Horner, of Bull Frog Valley.

Mr. W. H. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Charles Holtzl, of near St. James Church.

Litter Bowers, of Hoosier, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bowers, of this place.

Hoosier Roscoe Bowers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bowers, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolf and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Messinger, of near Littlestown.

The schools all close this week in the township.

The Bell telephone line will be extended to Hoosier Store in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fox, of near St. James Church, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bowers.

NEW CHESTER

New Chester, March 31—Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Ehrhart spent Saturday evening in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wagner spent Sunday in Union Mills.

Curtis Eisenhart, wife and daughter, of East Berlin, spent Sunday with W. H. Hoff and family.

Mrs. J. P. Mench and daughter, Miss Ethel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Taughinbaugh, of Hunterstown.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hoff, of Hunterstown spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman.

J. F. Mench spent Friday at East Berlin.

Mrs. Ralph Hoff, of near this place and Miss Blanche Hoff, of York Springs, spent Saturday with Mrs. Hoff last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gladfelter, of Round Hill, spent Sunday with L. J. Bowers and wife.

W. A. Taughinbaugh and son, Arthur, of Gettysburg, spent Sunday with J. F. Mench and family.

John Jones spent a few days with his family, at Hunterstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Shank and daughter, Margaret, spent Sunday with York Springs friends.

Miss Blanche Hoff, of York Springs, spent saturday with S. F. Shank and family.

DUCHANAN VALLEY

Buchanan Valley, March 31—Miss Ruth Gramer, of Miss Hinkle's, of Fleasant Valley, visited at the homes of James Wingert and Francis Hinkle recently.

Miss Genevieve Cole has gone to Philadelphia to visit friends.

Miss Sallie Kipple has returned from Philadelphia after a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Edward Hoke.

Miss Sinkath Wisner has gone to York where she will be with friends. Mrs. William Beshar.

James Wingert had sale on Monday and has moved to the property owned by Hinkle.

Clark Fetzer moved from the Dillon place to the old Hassler home near Buchanan Valley.

THOMAS FERGUSON

Thomas Ferguson died at his home in Cumberland township at a ripe old age, on Saturday last.

Three children survive, Mrs. William Hall, of York; Mrs. Pittock, of Philadelphia; Miss Jennie Ferguson, at home.

Funeral at two o'clock Sunday afternoon from his late residence, conducted by the Rev. J. A. Sell. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Gettysburg.

E. S. Hayleigh from 104 Hanover street to Max Davis' property, 21 East Middle street.

HOOKER'S CLEAN UP QUARTERS

One of the wonders of Hooker's Store is the way it keeps clean. Customers say that frequent dust and Soot Destroy less.

Three more specimens of the genus hobo were put to work on Friday morning by the village. Beetle and Child Seeker had the tramps busy for several hours by the time the quarters all the comforts of home. One of the vagrants proved to be a resident about the places was removed as that the weariness laid a sway day of it. One of the vagrants proved to be a Jew, one of the five of their race that have ever appeared in the Gettysburg circles on charges of begging. When he was taken up by Chief Beadle Thursday evening he was very solicitous about supper time.

"We serve our evening meal a little later than this," said the officer.

"Well, when the time comes," said the prisoner, "bring me some soup. And I don't care if it wouldn't make your breast end mashed potatoes."

Those things are not on the menu for this week," said the Chief "and you will have to be satisfied with a regular bill of fare."

The fracas quite much perturbed when he learned that his erstwhile companion in crime was to be detained to take any, saying that he carried his own lunch with him.

The town is to be kept in neat trimmest is spreading rapidly among the fraternity and the sanitar condition through town no decreased remarkably the past few days.

FIREMEN WILL CONVENE

The annual convention of the Cumberland Valley Volunteer Firemen's Association will be held this year in Greencastle. The time will be June 26th, 27th.

Greencastle's Rescue Hose Co. extended the invitation and it was unanimously accepted. The convention will hold a business session during the day and will be entertained by the Greencastle firemen.

It is expected that the Rescue Company will arrange for some additional form of entertainment, which may be a band concert or a parade of firemen. This, however, rests with the Greencastle company. It is certain that there will be a big time, as the demonstrations that have accompanied those of the past conventions.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, March 31—Mr. T. T. Hersrod and daughter, Miss Nora, of near Gettysburg, spent Thursday with relatives in this place.

Postmaster and Mrs. J. W. Moore have moved into the house on Water street after boarding during the winter months with George G. Byers and family.

Edward F. Bowers is building a new barn on his farm near here.

Graves Bootmagle left last Monday for Baltimore where he will be employed in the United States Subway.

Rev. John W. Forrest the newly appointed pastor of the Methodist church will preach here Sunday April second at 1.30 o'clock.

Miss Edith Spalding, of Baltimore, was an over Sunday visitor in this place.

Miss Delia Fickr, of near Fountain Dale, visited last Saturday and Sunday with Miss Kittlinger.

IMPROVEMENTS AT GRACEFENOOKS

The famous Graefenoog Inn is to undergo extensive changes in the way of improvements, the most extensive of which will be the addition of a large porch of dozen feet width extending along the front of the building. The property is owned by the state. The Board of Public Grounds and Buildings has ordered the improvements.

The dining room of the historic inn will be enlarged and improved. Workmen are now engaged in repairing the roof, painting the exterior walls and improving the bathrooms. The work is to be finished about the middle of June. The conditions will be ready for the opening of the season.

A. S. Mills from Harrisburg to Hanover, Penn'a, Dr. Bair's office.

TO PRESENT DEGREE ADOPT

To the pupil who passes the most successful examination in the final test in the Public Schools of Mount Pleasant township Miss Gertrude Swanson Business College will give a free scholarship for one year. The conditions will be announced at the opening of the examination.

A. S. Mills from Harrisburg to Hanover, Penn'a, Dr. Bair's office.

WHY TROOPS ARE IN TEXAS

Were Sent to Border on Demand of Investors.

DOLLARS AT BOTTOM OF ALL

President Taft Explains His Course In Mexican Affair to Republican Congressmen and Gets Approval.

Washington, March 31. — American dollars, invested in Mexican railroads, backed by the American army, with the Mexican dollars and the British pounds sterling similarly invested essenting, are going to bring peace to Mexico.

This is in accordance with the plan agreed upon in New York when the representatives of the warring Mexican factions went thither to consult with Jose Yvez Limantour and the representatives of the American dollars.

President Taft explained the situation to four Republican members of the foreign relations committee. As he laid the matter before them they thing he did exactly right to send a large section of the army to the Texas border.

Limantour will be the de facto head of the Mexican republic, as designed in the New York meetings. Porfiro Diaz may be continued at the head of affairs until there is some provision for electing or rather choosing his successor, a few months hence. He may even be deposed within a week or ten days.

Plan Hatched in Washington.

The foregoing conclusions were reached in Washington before the elder Francisco Madero made his significant declaration at San Antonio about peace being possible within ten days.

The choosing of Manuel de Zamacona a Inclan to be ambassador at Washington was sufficient notice to those at all acquainted with affairs in the railroad part of Mexico to indicate that Limantour has been able thus far to carry out the most difficult part of his plan, that of setting Diaz aside.

Zamacona, as dispatches set forth, has been the Mexican fiscal agent in London for two years. But he has been more than that. He has been the Mexican stationed in London to pass assurances to the British pounds sterling that their investments in the interoceanic railway in Mexico are safe. As ambassador at Washington he will be the easiest means of communication between the American dollars in Mexico and the owners of those dollars in New York.

Senor Zamacona is a director in the National Railways of Mexico, the Mexican corporation that holds all the railroad properties in Mexico that are worth holding. His railroad affiliations are similar to those of Henry W. Taft, the president's brother; H. Clay Pierce, the Standard Oil man; Joaquin D. Casasus, special embassador to the United States a few months ago, and Hans Winterfeldt, a partner of James Speyer.

The understanding is that Winterfeldt is the man who went down into Mexico and came back to tell the financiers that the Diaz administration was in a bad way and that influences had better be brought on Washington to have the army sent to Texas.

Senor Casasus and H. Clay Pierce, more than two months ago, called on Governor Colquitt, of Texas, and asked him to issue a proclamation directing Texans to be neutral and give no aid to either side. They traveled thither in Pierce's private car. Washington has no doubt that Limantour's plan will be put through with edutu latration help, if need be.

23 Middies to Resign.

Washington, March 31. — Nineteen members of the graduating class at the United States naval academy will resign from the service immediately after receiving their diplomas at the end of the present scholastic year. Four members of the second class will also resign at the same time. The resignations are due to physical disability.

Charge Evangelist With Wife Murder.

Cincinnati, O., March 31.—A charge of second degree murder was contained in an indictment returned here against Oliver P. Smith, the charge being based upon the violent death of his wife in their home early in February. Smith and his wife are widely known as mission workers and evangelists.

Tom Johnson No Better.

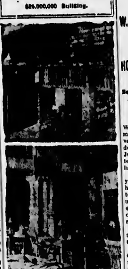
Cleveland, O., March 31. — Former Mayor Tom L. Johnson was reported as resting comfortably after a night of broken slumber. Although his physicians refuses to make an official statement, close friends of the family admit that he is gaining little or no ground in his fight for recovery.

Kisses Dead Wife; Dies In Three Days

Schenectady, N. Y., March 31.—Albert Adams, aged forty years, an expert varnish maker, died of pneumonia after three days' illness following the kissing of the lips of his dead wife, who died last week of the same disease.

THE DESTROYED CAPITOL.

Library and Recording Room in $25,000,000 Building.



MAY SAVE SOME OF LIBRARY

Thousands of Books In Burned Capitol Can Be Preserved.

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—More than 500 men attacked the still smoking ruins left by the fire in the west end of the state capitol with shovels and crowbars and soon discovered that the wreck of the state's magnificent library was not as complete as at first supposed.

Buried under tons of stone lay thousands of books that can be preserved by rebinding and many that escaped unscathed. Records of the War of 1812 were found intact.

The state architect has recommended that the legislature authorize immediately the preparation of plans for rebuilding the ruined third and fourth floors. Unofficial estimates place the cost of reconstruction close to $4,000,000. It is said that an appropriation of this size would practically wipe out the estimated surplus remaining in the state treasury at the end of the present fiscal year. The state cannot bond itself for this rebuilding, and the money must be taken directly from the treasury.

BROTHER ACCUSED OF POISONING SISTER

Is Said to Hold $5000 Policy on Her Life.

York, Pa., March 31.—Charged with having administered a stupefying drug with felonious intent, Curman Grecey, of this city, has been arrested and committed to jail.

It is said that he entered the room of his sister, Mrs. George Rhinehart, who is an invalid, and administered laudanum to her in such quantities that the woman has since been in a stupor, from which it is feared she will not revive.

Her husband declares that the woman's brother holds an insurance policy of $5000 on the woman's life, and he believes this prompted him to commit the act. It is said that when the members of the household protested against Grecey administering the drug to his sister he became violent and said he would beat out their brains with a hatchet.

An investigation of the case is being made by detectives, and should the woman die more serious charges will be at once brought.

Shot Wife and Self.

Saratoga, N. Y., March 31.—John C. Fuller, president of the Fuller Crushed Stone company, bade his friends goodby, with the remark that he intended to take a journey. Neighbors found the bodies of himself and wife at the foot of the cellar stairs in their home, where, according to the authorities, he lay in wait and shot his wife as she was descending the stairs, and then killed himself. The wife will die.

Shoots Two Women and Himself.

Lexington, Ky., March 31.—A triple tragedy occurred here when George Scott, a negro, shot and killed his wife, Susie, and mortally wounded Emma Rogers, another negress. Scott then turned the weapon upon himself and will probably die from the wound. It is thought the negro was crazy.

Many an unprofitable hen might be induced to turn over a new leaf were she given a ration containing less corn and more protein and made to scratch for all the grain fed. Before putting these idlers into a potpie it might be well to give them such a test.

GETS 30 YEARS FOR MURDER

W. H. Strong Found Guilty of Killing His Wife.

HOPES FOR A NEW TRIAL

Seventy-Year-Old Farmer Is Closely Guarded In Prison Cell to Prevent Suicide.

Mays Landing, N. J., March 31.—William H. Strong was convicted of murder in the second degree by the verdict of the jury, after one hour's deliberation, and was sentenced by Justice Thomas W. Trenchard to a term of thirty years in state prison at hard labor.

The old farmer, who was seventy years of age his last birthday, took his sentence calmly and was led away to a solitary cell, where he was placed under guard to prevent any attempt at suicide, though he assured the officers they need not worry about him, as he expected to get a new trial.

Counsel said an appeal would be taken and a motion made for a new trial.

When the court house bell announced that a verdict had been reached, men, women and children came running from every direction, and by the time the jury filed in people were standing on the backs of the benches and window sills.

The trial, which began last Monday, was one of the most remarkable ever known in the county, Strong being convicted on the strength of a confession made to Madame Pauline Gerard, an Atlantic City boardwalk clairvoyant, substantiated by circumstantial evidence.

The jurymen took with them into the jury room the neck of the murdered woman, preserved in alcohol, which was in evidence, showing the finger marks where she had been strangled.

There was little testimony to support a first degree verdict, as the murder was committed during a heat of passion, according to Strong's story to the fortune teller.

MENU DE LUXE FOR COWS

Almshouse Cattle of Glen Cove, L. I., Have Been In Clover.

Glen Cove, L. I., March 31.—According to the Nassau citizens' committee, horses and cows on the Hempstead almshouse farm have ever been in clover.

From Aug. 5, 1909, to July 19, 1910, the two almshouse horses were provided with 133 shoes. New York truckmen say that forty-eight shoes a year are enough for even a brewery truck horse.

An excellent table was also set for the three cows at the farm. The feed bill for both horses and cows was $808.82 for one year. Long Island dairymen say that the milk produced by the three cows must have cost about 20 cents a quart.

LEWIS GOES BACK TO MINES

President of Union to Go to Work When He Quits Office.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 31. — When Thomas L. Lewis relinquishes his position as president of the United Mine Workers of America he will leave the headquarters in Indianapolis for his home in Bridgeport, O., and on Monday will take a place as miner in the Wheeling Creek mines of the Lorain Coal and Coke company.

It is stated that Lewis has received a number of business offers, but he prefers to remain in the miners' organization, and his friends say he will again be a candidate for international president. He recently discouraged an effort to make him the head of the Ohio organization.

Insane Rancher Slays Strangers.

Burlington, Wash., March 31.—William Weegin, a rancher of South Prairie, became violently insane and, taking a rifle, went out on a county road and shot and killed the first three passers-by, who were John Ranke, William Ranke and John Were, all of Burlington. Weegin knew none of the victims, but, possessed by a murderous mania, killed the first who came within his range. After the shooting Weegin mounted a horse and rode away with his ride.

$9960.33 For a Hand.

New York, March 31.—In the Brooklyn supreme court a jury returned a verdict of $9960.33 in favor of Peter Helfrich against the Robert Gair Manufacturing company. Helfrich was employed as a machinist's helper. A knife sharpening machine cut his hand and fingers so badly that he has lost the use of one hand to a great extent.

Recent experiments which have been made in the matter of using sows of different ages for breeding purposes show that, while a young sow, well cared for, will average seven pigs to the litter, the mature sow five or six years old will average between nine and ten to the litter. It has also been found that the offspring of mature sows weigh 12 per cent more at birth than those of young sows, grow more rapidly and are stronger.

HERMIT MUST PAY BIG TAX

Banker Who Lives on Yacht Liable For $50,000 a Year.

London, March 31. — M. Bayard Brown, late a New York banker, who for twenty years has lived aboard his steam yacht Valfreiya, anchored by two cables 200 yards off shore in Brightling sea harbor, was adjudged liable to an income tax of $50,000 a year.

Brown pleaded that he lived afloat, is an American citizen and therefore not liable to taxation.

The judge held that the yacht was anchored in a place within the borough of Colchester, and it was a place of residence, therefore its owner was liable to an income tax.

Brown keeps the yacht always ready for sea, with a crew of thirteen men, who take regular watches. The yacht, however, has not been to sea in over twenty years, and Brown has never left her in that time. It is feared that this judgment will impel him to leave his anchorage, in which case his crew probably will desert, as they say the Valfreiya is falling to pieces.

JOAQUIN MILLER RECOVERS

Poet Is Also Reunited With Wife From Whom He Was Separated 10 Years.

San Francisco, March 31.—Joaquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, who was given up by the doctors, is now almost fully recovered.

He returned to his home on the heights overlooking Oakland and San Francisco bay, where he has done some of his best work. He took with him his wife, from whom he had been separated ten years, and henceworth she will make her home with him, as well as his daughter, Juneta.

MURDERER MAKES LIGHT OF GALLOWS

Assists Hangman and Bids Crowd Cheerful Good-Bye.

Pottsville, Pa., March 31. — A remarkable display of nerve was made in the county jail yard here by Joseph Christock, who was hanged for the murder of Mrs. Ann Richards.

Declining the assistance of a priest and deputy sheriff, he walked smilingly from his cell to the foot of the gallows and ran lightly up the steps.

It was a public hanging, and before him stood 1500 persons, to whom he waved his hand.

Then he reached up, grasped the noose and placed it around his neck, put his arms by his side to be strapped, and cheerfully said, "Goodby, all."

The nervy men then held his head in position for the black cap, and in another moment the trap was sprung.

Before going to the gallows, Christock confessed to murdering the woman, told of many robberies and burglaries and said he deserved to be hanged.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Girl's Body Found on Track Near Wilkes-Barre.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., March 31.—Theresa Marshan, a pretty fifteen-year-old Polish girl, was found dead on the tracks of the Lehigh Valley railroad early in the morning.

She had been run over by a freight train. How she came to be on the track at so late an hour is a mystery. Whether she was the victim of foul play or met death accidentally is not known. It is said she quarreled with her parents and the police say there is possibility that she met with foul play.

Picketing Forbidden by an Injunction.

Hartford, Conn., March 31.—An injunction was issued in the superior court, restraining the Lady Garment Workers' international union of this city from intimidating employes of dry goods stores and from picketing. About 200 garment workers are on strike and the merchants are endeavoring to get tailors from other cities to fill their places. A disturbance was created at the depot upon the arrival of strike breakers and four arrests were made.

Convict Autoist of Manslaughter.

Akron, O., March 31.—Earl Sprenkle, an automobile dealer, charged with causing the death of Helen Starr and Laura Weldji on Nov. 4, 1910, by running them down with his automobile, was found guilty of manslaughter. Sentence was deferred until the court passes on a motion for a new trial.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany	34	Clear.
Atlantic City	44	Clear.
Boston	44	Clear.
Buffalo	32	Snow.
Chicago	34	Cloudy.
New Orleans	72	P. Cloudy.
New York	44	Clear.
Philadelphia	49	Clear.
St. Louis	43	Cloudy.
Washington	44	Clear.

Weather Forecast.

Fair today and tomorrow; westerly winds.

NEW ERA IN 62D CONGRESS

Reform System to be Given a Fair Trial.

SPEAKER SHORN OF POWER

Committee to Name House Committees and Patronage to Be Placed on a Pro Rata Basis.

Washington, March 31.—With the convening of the special session of the Sixty-second congress only a few days off it is becoming more apparent that a new era is about to dawn in the house of representatives.

Perhaps "dawn" isn't just the word to describe the radical departure that is to differentiate this coming session from those that have gone before. But it is certain that traditions are to be upset and precedents manufactured, that old customs are to be replaced by new and ancient practice is to be supplanted by modern theory.

It is impossible to predict what the result will be after the new system has been tried, with the speaker stripped of power, the ways and means committee "oligarchy" supreme in the making of committees and policies, the "hog combine" abolished and patronage reduced to a scientific pro rata basis, dispensed by a committee on accounts.

Democrats as well as Republicans are skeptical of the new system, but there really seems to be a disposition to give all the new machinery a fair trial and not to reject any part of it until efficiency or impracticability has been conclusively demonstrated.

"And if all these new schemes do work," said a Democrat possessing ideals, "the house of representatives will be in closer touch with the people than it has been in many a long day."

Speaker's Power Is Gone.

The effect of one radical change—the removal of the speaker's power to make committee appointments—already stands out conspicuously by contrast. Uncle Joe Cannon, and in fact most of his predecessors, used to be the busiest men on this green earth just a few days before the beginning of a new congress, when the committees of the house were being made up. Possessing the power to make and unmake men, to reward and punish, the speaker found it necessary to lock himself in his room, so that aspiring members, hat in hand, armed with arguments to back their claims for personal consideration might filter into his presence and out again in orderly array. He was pestered almost to distraction; his advice asked and his good will implored. He was the one men who could make or mar a measure, and he was treated accordingly.

Uncle Joe had eight years of this. Now Champ Clark, instead of being the busiest man in the house, is about the most idle. He has his personal correspondence to attend to, of course, and naturally it has increased since he became the Democratic choice for speaker.

But so far as important matters of house administration are concerned Mr. Clark is left severely alone. He actually acknowledged that he didn't know what changes the committee on rules would recommend, what men had been selected for the committees of the house and what policy the ways and means Democrats had decided on with reference to reciprocity, the wool schedule and other important features of the tariff revision.

What is more, he frankly declared that he didn't want to know and had not tried to find out. In other words, Mr. Clark is going to the extreme in aiding in a comprehensive test of the reform scheme of the house administration.

Died as Granddaughter Sang.

Utica, N. Y., March 31.—Addressing her granddaughter, Mrs. William Roberts, who was seated at the piano, Mrs Frances Ray Teff, eighty-two years old, requested the younger woman to sing "Will There Be Any Stars In My Crown?" Mrs. Roberts began the song, and when she had finished turned to where her grandmother was reclining. The aged woman was dead. The end had come as though she had fallen to sleep.

Sugar Cane and Bamboo Make Paper.

Washington, March 31. — Another substance from which paper may be manufactured has been discovered. A manager of a sugar estate at Trinidad, according to Consul Franklin D. Hale, at that place, has made from ground sugar cane and bamboo fiber a cheap and excellent paper, superior, it is claimed, to any wood paper now being manufactured.

Train Robbed of $40,000 In Poland.

St. Petersburg, March 31.—Robbers held up a train at Widsow, a small station on the Warsaw & Granice line, and got $40,000 intended for railroad employes. Two passengers were wounded by the robbers, who made their escape.

Jewish Names For Jews.

St. Petersburg, March 31.—A committee of the Holy Synod adopted a resolution prohibiting Jews from bearing Christian first names.

UPHOLDS BUCKET SHOPS

Court Decides Government Crusade Is Unconstitutional.

Washington, March 31. — "Bucketshopping" in the District of Columbia is a lawful occupation, according to a decision by Justice Wright, in the district supreme court.

As a result, the widespread crusade by the department of justice to end the practice in nearly a half score of cities threatens to come to naught.

Justice Wright holds that the amendment to the code defining "bucketing" is unconstitutional, because it deprives citizens of the liberty to contract guaranteed them by the constitution.

His decision sustains the demurrer of Edward Altemus, of Jersey City, and Louis A. and Angelo Cella, of St. Louis, who operated a so-called bucketshop under the title of the Standard Stock and Grain company.

With twenty-six others they were indicted, and while six pleaded guilty and were fined sums aggregating $6100, the others decided to fight the matter.

The government will appeal from Justice Wright's decision. The attorney general says he will carry the question to the supreme court.

TRUST GETS CANAL WORK

Steel Corporation Lowest Bidder to Construct Emergency Reservoirs.

Washington, March 31.—The United States Steel corporation was the lowest bidder for the construction of six emergency dams to be erected on the Panama canal.

The steel company's bid was $9,232,637, while the bid of the McClintic-Marshall Construction company, of Pittsburg, was only $40,000 higher. The third bid, by the Pennsylvania Steel company, was $165,000 higher than the lowest bid.

On the bids for separate dams the McClintic-Marshall people were the lowest, but they made no reduction from their flat rate in event of receiving the entire contract.

NO "TRUST" STEEL FOR THE NAVY, NOW

Material Will be Purchased From Independents.

Washington, March 31.—In purchasing structural steel in the future the navy department will require that affidavits be furnished to the effect that each concern is not engaged in any attempt to restrain trade and that it has not entered into any combination with one or more other manufacturing companies in an effort to monopolize trade.

If any errors are discovered in the affidavit the department will be authorized to reject the bid.

This action is the result of an opinion given by Attorney General Wickersham. His opinion was in the form of a recommendation, which, in connection with an opinion from the controller of the treasury, will guide the navy department in making its structural steel contracts.

The situation grows out of action taken by the last congress prohibiting the purchase by the department of structural steel from any "trust" or combination in restraint of trade.

SLURRED WIFE ON EGGS

Husband Wrote Scurrilous Sentences and Drew Cartoons of Her.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 31.—After a marriage of forty-one years, Dr. William Stewart and his wife disagreed and Mrs. Stewart went to live with a married son.

The doctor then began writing scurrilous sentences about his wife on hen's eggs and drew many cartoons on the eggs, she being the central figure.

The appellate court decided that a husband cannot use eggs for belittling his wife and affirmed a decree of divorce in her favor. The court says the doctor's acts were as bad as if he had disseminated the libelous matter by means of handbills on the streets.

Dies as Sixth Child Expires.

Davenport, Ia., March 31. — Mrs. Louise Hoeppner, after witnessing the death of her sixth daughter, Mrs. Louise Wilson, fell on her bed and died instantly. One child had died each year for the last six years. She was seventy-one years old.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR weak; winter clear, $3.50@3.75; city mills, fancy, $5.25@5.75.

RYE FLOUR steady, at $4@4.15 per barrel.

WHEAT quiet; No. 2 red, new, 89½@90½c.

CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, 54@55c.

OATS firm; No. 2 white, 36½c.; lower grades, 35c.

POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 14@12½c.; old roosters, 11@11½c. Dressed steady; choice fowls, 16c.; old roosters, 12c.

BUTTER firm; extra creamery, 25c.

EGGS firm; selected, 19@20c.; nearby, 17½c.; western, 18½c.

POTATOES firm; 35@50c. bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURG (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE steady; choice, $6.50@6.75; prime, $6.15@6.40.

SHEEP firm; prime wethers, $4.90; culls and common, $2@3; lambs, $5@6.25; veal calves, $9@9.50.

HOGS lower; prime heavies, $7.15; mediums, $7.30@7.40; heavy Yorkers and pigs, $7.50@7.60; roughs, $6@6.50.

CHARGED WITH FALSE PRETENSE

Chief Shealer Arrests Emmitsburg Man Charged with Trading Horse which he Did not Own. Placed in County Jail.

Henry Bowman, of Emmitsburg, was arrested in this place on Monday afternoon by Chief of Police Shealer charged with obtaining a horse under false pretenses. He was followed to same trade with John Fagan, of the Globe Hotel.

Bowman who is about twenty-five years of age had driven a spry mare from Emmitsburg in a team of the McCarren livery, of that place. When they arrived in Gettysburg he offered to trade with Mr. Fagan and the deal was consummated. It is said that each party valued his horse at $200.00.

The party who accompanied Bowman here became suspicious and said that he believed Bowman was trading a horse which did not belong to him. Telephone communication was established with the Emmitsburg livery and instructions were given Chief Shealer to hold the man. Later in the evening parties from the Mountain House came and got the horse while Mr. Fagan had his retained.

Bowman was placed in the county jail by Chief Shealer. He will likely be given a hearing.

FROST DAMAGES CLOVER

In some sections farmers who have visited the clover fields since the recent severe and unseasonable cold snap have found great injury but to prove clover by the frost. In many cases the fields are viewed as a total loss and stalks that have been frozen, the long top locks being exposed to the sun and wind.

It is also noticeable that field corn has been especially destructive here to grass fields during the past winter. These rodents live on roots of grass and fed mainly in winter on roots or grasses. During this time when the ground is covered with a blanket of snow, which shields them from the cold and their enemies, such as the skunk, weasel, rat, fox and hawk, they operate principally upon the surface of the ground, and the damage is often not set by the roots Their many runways are noticeable on the top of the ground.

200,000 ATTENDED INSTITUTES

Reports which are being received at the office of A. L. Martin, director of the state's farmers' institutes, indicate that the attendance at the [illegible] and morning meeting during the season of 1910—1911 reached the record breaking figures of 200,000. This is announced for by the weather conditions which permitted traveling and by the interest aroused by the practical teaching and talks.

Last year held the record as the banner year, a total attendance of more than 175,000 and 186,000 being noted, the institute sessions alone attracting 150,000 persons. At the close of the season it is estimated that 175,000 persons attended the meetings arranged for by the state's seven counties, and that over 25,000 were at the institutes in Berks.

CHILD NEAR DEATH

Carl, the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fire Hoover, of Littlestown, made a narrow escape from death Saturday 30. Hoover secured a Chief Cook Conserve Township Adams County to be home which had been condemned by family who, it is said, left a bottle containing carbolic acid on the mantel. The child found the bottle, and drank some of the liquid. The prompt action of the child's condition and family's solicitude for the child, it is said, the child's mouth and throat were badly burned by the acid, but from present indications, the child will recover in opinion that no serious result will follow.

NEW FIREMAN

We announce with pleasure the connection of Dawson S. Sechler with the Times and News Publishing Company as the capacity of fireman.

Mr. Sechler is recognized locally as an authority on printing and will be connected with the printing business in various capacities for the present.

The Times has a complete equipment for job work. Almost every business house in this section is using it, and the character of work done here and the way in which orders are executed will not be lowered by the connection of Mr. Sechler.

WAR ON FAKE DOG KILLERS

The Agricultural Department is preparing a campaign against mere nuisance and dispensers of fake insecticides and fungicides. The last Congress appropriated $67,000 to be used by the Department in its warfare against those who hold poisons with the promises that they would kill rats, bugs, insects, and all pests of the soil, of the home and field, and for which they charge exorbitant prices. It will be the purpose of the agents to try to rid of, but which have failed to do so.

BUSINESS OF COUNTY COURT

Associate Judges Preside at Session of Court Held on Saturday. One Township Gets Supervisor. Another a Tax Collector.

At a session of court held Saturday with Associate Judges Peter Hilbish and Jos. Brewbaker presiding the following business was transacted.

Bail in $500 was fixed for Earl McClellan pending the granting of requisition papers. He is wanted in Ontario County, New York, on a charge of abandonment. Deputy Sheriff Clinton S. Mills, of that county, having brought the warrant here for the fugitive. Bail was furnished.

Wm. Lloyd Eyster and Charles A. Yost were discharged as administrators of the estate of William Yost.

Daniel Baker was appointed to fill the unexpired term of W. H. Boyer as supervisor of Hamilton Township. Mr. Boyer has moved from that township and the other supervisors petitioned for the appointment of a successor.

H. Foster Bond was appointed collector of Cumberland township to fill the unexpired term of Abraham Keckler who has moved from that township.

James H. Reever applealed guardian of Frederick Bower, minor grandchild of James Bower. Bond given in sum of $600.

Petition of John F. Deardorf executor of Jennie Wampler, deceased, late of Borderland, to sell a tract of land of real estate of said decedent. Order made and bond approved.

Petition of Conrad Bollinger, Jr., to amend returns of sale in the estate of Conrad Schmidt, Sr. Granted.

All the tax collectors' bonds were approved by the Court for the ensuing year which were not presented, York Springs, Fairfield and Hamiltonban Township.

Petition of Dallas Myers and Grover C. Myers, were tore of Mt. Joy to sell R. M. Myers, deceased, for order of private sale of real estate, granted.

Bond of the Citizens' Trust Company of Littlestown approved as to the minor grandchildren of Mary Jane Riley, deceased, approved. Amount $1,000.

Petition of the Citizens' Trust Company of Littlestown, guardian of Miss Clelie Hollinger to join in sale of personal and real estate of said minor town, granted.

Petition of George I. Shriver assignee of Charles M. Moore for appointment of appraisers, granted and bond of $800 under his assumption. The Court appointed William Kuhns and Joseph Bair.

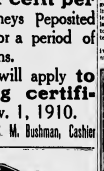
Bond of William P. Baker, cashier of the Peoples National Bank of Berlin, and bond of the Citizens' Trust Company, Littlestown approved.

Capital $100,000 Surplus $150,000
The First National Bank
of Gettysburg.

This Bank on and after Nov. 1, 1910 will pay **3 1-2 per cent per annum** on all moneys Deposited on special certificate for a period of six months.

This rate of interest will apply to **all outstanding certificates** from Nov. 1, 1910.

S. M. Bushman, Cashier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BEFORE BUYING ANY SAFE INVESTIGATE THE STRENGTH OF THE SAFE YOU BUY
EXACTLY DUPLICATE OF THIS SAFE IN OUR OFFICE
SAFE OPENED AND CLOSED BY CASHIER
SAFE CONTAINS $100,000.00
SAFE EXPOSED TO FIRE FOR EACH CUSTOMER

HORSE LIKES CORN COB

Mr. Groft, the fish merchant, of Mcllherrystown, issues a challenge to any horse owner in the state to say that their animals is a corn eating animal.

Mr. Groft says that the horse in Fishman's big barn got loose in the stable in the other night and ate through the corn about in the dark, proceeded to fill up. Before he was found he satisfied, it had decorated 60 ears of corn, including the cobs.

LEFT FOR BROWN

Lola M. Brown, daughter of George A. Bowers, of Biglerville, has left for the First Pennsylvania Training School, Millersville, where she will continue her studies, making a specialty of music which she has studied for that place after her return about July 1st.

PARK FOR HABERSTOWN

Hagerstown voted Monday in favor of establishing a public park, the issue being decided by a vote of 1,200 to 616. Every ward indorsed the act and the Mayor and Council will borrow $90,000 for the park.

THE ROADS OF THE WHOLE WORLD MUST BE REMADE

"Old Macadam Will No Longer Stand Strain of Automobile."

Hatton P. Lewis, chief engineer of the board of estimate and apportionment of Manhattan, New York city, believes that the roads of the whole civilized country will have to be rebuilt because old macadam, the best known road material for highways, is unable to stand the strain of automobiles. Mr. Lewis says he is about to put automobiles, motor trucks and motor buses on the streets of Manhattan, and that the roads of the kind that are now in the city streets will not stand the strain. The subject recently, Mr. Lewis said:

"While I believe that with a reasonable sufficience, such as tar, asphalt or mineral oil, we can keep the old macadam material for loose rock and sand in place for automobiles, the old macadam should be rebuilt, as they must be soaked with tar, asphalt or mineral oil, and the old macadam roads of the country will have to be rebuilt because the automobile is going to be developed far faster than people have begun to believe."

DECLARED LETTERS

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Gettysburg March 27, 1911.

Selena Alberts 2, Mr. J. B. Bowers, Mr. David Fulton, Mr. Libris Gurrard Mr. Thomas Hoffman, Mr. Harry Hoffman, C. L. Robinson, Mr. Edgar C. Warner, H. L. Wolf.

Parties calling for the above letters will please state they were advertised.

C. W. Bream, Postmaster.

THE BROODER NURSERY.

The nursery is really the whole brooder, including the hover and the run parlor, in the people's playground, the nursery does the nature fake stunt of playing mamma hen. This is done with the hover, which of the picture is heated from a lamp in a box outside. Some are heated with hot water or steam. We wish to emphasize the importance of the hover as a factor in pneumonia in artificial brooding, for we have yet to see the hover that does not often lose them in faulty hovers. You will note this nursery scene is from the door being mostly glass to give the chicks plenty of light and the all essential for fattening the sick chick. The hover is made of wood, in large sizes, the matting the whole is better built, the chicks and the scene but being always in sight.

The hover is a decoy. It is twenty two inches in diameter, ten inches high and is all clear some beneath. It has

A BROODER NURSERY.

no hot drum against which chicks crowd and get overheated and trampled to soot and lump fumes come up into the hover to suffocate, to prevent which six up the chicks' legs and make room crimps.

The heat is exerted and radiates down as in nature. It comes from a lamp box outside, circulates through a flue/duct underneath and up in top of hover, and all lamp fumes are returned to the outside. The chicks are not only deadly to chicks, is entirely eleared. The hover rests on top of the heat receiver, and with a regulator attached to the lamp flue the heat can be kept at even temperature even in zero weather.

The hover is made of wood, with matting on the inside. The matting is cleaned every day, for if chicks are compelled to live in their own filth stamping apartment they are soon left off or starved.

For a good brooderer, a dropping floor and a soft bedding of sand is absolutely keen on our brooder floors and sand is the bedding.

FEATHERS AND GOODWILLS.

Nathan F. Yost of Exeter's Church, Berks county, has a pet woodpecker that might live absolute in one night. Burglars and footpads should get Mr. Yost's prize silver cup for protecting their premises from intruders, for the pet is eagle mode!

Mr. Yost around his hundred turkeys were locked up, dressed and shipped to New York, arriving there in time for York to shape Pennsylvania dealer. Mr. Yost's woodpecker was left on the day.

When a poultry association or agricultural society contracts with a party to judge their poultry, especially as a matter of experience as well as price should be considered. The following facts are of some value in showing what is desirable in a judge of poultry, published recently in Farm and Home:

"Should be a great pest to poultry, as he will destroy vermin, insects, eating eggs and gobbling chicken. Hogs will root up the nests and eat the chickens.

Hens seldom get hard coop from scratch-thru straw on the scratching shed, and when they do get hard coop and food is thrown in the litter. They have to work for it. Hens should never go on much straw cells and blocks way from the floor.

By pulling of the wrapes six dozen chickens can be killed and dressed by a trading the Danville pa.) market. He says that he can do it in less time than market price, but failed. In night he has killed and dressed 100 chickens, and rate rolling ten dozen capons was for sale at the city market.

In the rainy season oats are a specially good article of food, as they are not deleterious to diarrhea. White wheat will be found more satisfactory than any other way with chickens.

Mr. Hoover who started to raise pests on a side issue discovers that the fierce little fighters are fruit flies. They are said to be a menace to crops in a dozen states.

The pigeon is a great pest to the cherry grower and quacks in the removing of the cherry crop will cost from $3 to $25 each, according to color. Twenty-five thousand pigeons were destroyed last year in the St. Louis convention and exposition.

Keep your weather eye on the hog weather's eye on the hog that is the hog will come to a bad end. Watch that your hogs are not off their feed. Worms or lungs in a don't care style. He is covered with worms or he's a little in his constitution.

When a good number of fowls are kept there should be a place to store grain. The bins should be tight that rats cannot gnaw into them, and the building be clear underneath so that no animal harbor. Teach the cat to stop at the bins, and she will soon learn to do so.

Geo. N. Bennett

The Scrap Book

Handed Some His Own Coin.

A Weshington preacher tells the following story of his young wife, who, by the way, has not reached the shaving age yet, but is in the hazy indefinite, which seems to varying:

"I was in my study and was reading to her some passages in the paper," explained, Talbot, 'I set in the paper that the circulation is going to beat that you are president of.

"Then, I knew, by the tone about my business then the paper, so I turned over, pretending to be sad, never before anything you see in the paper.

"A few days later I found my new name broken, and my wife's picture and thrown behind the house. I immediately left for Washington, and

"Look here, young man, what's the meaning of all this?" I demanded. 'Has my new name broken all to pieces, and my wife's picture been thrown behind the house?'

"She looked puzzled, looking hastily at me, and said: 'never before saying you see in the newspaper.'"—Washington Star.

The Mirror of Life.

Do you wish for kindness? Be kind. Or you will find no friend to mind. Want you grow of yourself you find. Want you have? Give.

For life is a mirror. You smile and it smiles in return. Scatter kind taste in your heart and sweetie a large crop will spring up for you.

Love and love only. Every deed of kindness is a seed sown. Every kindly act and word is the seed That you cast yourself in the soil.

Cure for Insomnia.

In the chair of your west or your son Open your window and sit down. The taste of their drops go quail down.

Fireplaces Are Dangerous.

Senator William Pierson Piere of Philadelphia, who recently died in his home fireplace in an Albany hotel contributed the following to the press:

"I remember thirty years ago, when I was a boy, I used to sleep in a room without fifteen or eighteen of an—all kinds—blankets on my bed, and I never got cold. Now I have to have a fire and I am also chilly. It was a raw, wet night when I left Albany, and I felt it a little. It seems in, tried to get accommodations for the night, but could not get them at all. The nearest other place was a mile away. Then I went to the steamer, looked at the fire, but we formed such a crowd around it that I could not get near it. Finally they let me through and I got a chair. I sat down by him and said;

"My friend, are you a traveler?

"I am, sir. I have been all over the world.

"You don't say! Been in Germany, Italy, France, Spain, and Australia in Africa and Asia?

"Yes, I have been in all those countries.

"Ever been in hell?

"No, I never was there before twice.

"How did you find things there?

"Well, I'll tell you how it was—business all went to the fire."—New York Herald.

The Old Nut Look Right.

Nuts are becoming scarce, and one of the kind that figures in many an anecdote is the nut that is found unexpectedly at a picnic when a well known novelist is present. Then it is the one picture underneath to set up the word "doughnut" that is the favorite.

"See here" said the novelist, "don't you think I look like a doughnut?"

You're simplified in here" interrupted the picnicker, and everyone came over and gazed at the proof and scratched their heads in wonder.

"Well," he admitted, "that doesn't look much like me, but I'll bet I'm the one somewhere that didn't look right to you."

An Untold Story.

There was a man who lived in Chautauqua Grove's unfathoming skillful research in the art of fishing.

Feeling the need of spindling himself in something new, he took out a county sanitarium which made a business of giving people new ideas and changing the digestion. In the routine work of the establishment he was the assistant half hour devoted to pushing up into the air the feet of patients who lay with him as with every other feature of the institution he was thoroughly conscientious. However, the superintendent of the place was not so conscientious.

Every time the assistant's patient received he had the inevitable thrust him up into the air. Every time he was the same he pushed them into the other patient's feet. Every time he was with every other feature of the institution he was thoroughly conscientious. However, the superintendent of the place was not so conscientious.

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He let his hands drop in his sides and looked at the superintendent. "I'm done," he said, "this reminds me of a story."

"Tell it," said the superintendent feebly. "Before long or pushing those patients around."

"Once upon a time," began the assistant, "there was a man who lived in Chautauqua Grove."

Paying His Debt.

A prominent and popular professor who loved to flunk his students was examining a class in philosophy. He invited under a microscope for identification a drop of blood obtained by pricking his own finger. One of the students who had been particularly severely treated by the examiner to stem to his feet and, with a look of hatred and triumph, said fiercely and proudly replied, "A reptile, sir!"

LOCAL ANGLERS HOLD ELECTION

Gettysburg Camp United Sportsmen of Pennsylvania Re-elect Officers Would Keep List of Successful Anglers.

Gettysburg Camp 5, United Sportsmen of Pennsylvania elected officers for the coming year on Friday evening. Last year's officers were re-elected, president, Charles Eckert; vice-president, Charles W. Myers; secretary and treasurer, C. K. Gilbert.

The membership now numbers fourteen forty and fifty and the dues for the year are payable on or before May first.

The following letter from W. E. Meehan, Commissioner of Fisheries was read:

"I am desirous of securing information with respect to the game fish interests of the state and in this connection the camps of the United Sportsmen can render great assistance. What I particularly desire is that the camps obtain as far as possible the number of trout and other fish caught this year by the members and their friends or acquaintances. This can be done by each member reporting to the Secretary the number and kind of fish he catches on his return from each fishing trip in Pennsylvania, if possible with the total weight, also reporting to the secretary the number and weight of any catches made by others of which the member has reliable knowledge. This report can be sent to me at the close of the season and at the close of the trout season.

"Date of this kind will be of great value in the expansion of the Department of Fisheries' work and the extension of the work of stocking by the authority of the Legislature."

"Records can be kept in a small book by the secretary and will certainly prove of interest also to the members of the camp."

SCHOOL REPORTS

Report of Union school, Hamiltonban district for month ending March 31: average attendance 29; per cent. of attendance 96. Pupils neither absent during the month were, Veronica Sanders, Mary Wilt, Mildred Brandon, Margaret Sanders, Annie Zahler, Hazel Sanders, Harry Hammond, Carl Bender, Raymond Sanders, Clyde Myers, Harry Myers, Mahlon Sanders, Oliver Mosemiller each missed one half day and Roy Bream and Adolph Mosemiller each missed one day.

Report of the town hall grammar grade 36 1910 and ending March 31, 1911. Enrollment 41; per cent. of attendance 91; per cent. of attendance 97. Those present every day during the term were, Veronica Sanders, Margaret Sanders, Annie Zahler, Raymond Sanders, Earl Myers, Clyde Myers, Miss E. Hartman, teacher.

Following is the report of Boyd's school, Cumberland township, for the month month ending March 31, number of pupils enrolled 37; average attendance 34 per cent. of attendance during the month 98. Those present every day were, Lester Boyd, Ralph Bowling Katherine Bindlash, Evalue Bubb, Grover Bream, Pearl Fenn, Edith Hollinger, Bernadette Swanger, Roy Bowling, Elsie Bream, Ralph Hollinger. Clair Cassatt, Edgar Riley, Joseph Yoder, Reginald Bream, Irving and Edwin Rice. Beulah V. Koehler, teacher.

ENCAMPMENT AT BLUE MOUNTAIN HOUSE

A movement is on foot to get the Maryland State Militia Encampment for this Mountain city. W. H. G. McComas, assistant Blue Mountain Power Company, made a trip to Washington to confer with Henry M. Warfield, Col. Charles D. Gaither and other members of the committee that will decide where the encampment will be held at a conference with the committee on the train on Thursday night on the way going to Westminster to look over the situation there.

Mr. McComas offered the free use of 427 acres of land adjacent to the Blue Mountain House and a large spring of pure water, there being area springs on the property. He also offered the fraternal privileges, between the hotel and Pen Mar Park, which will be excellent site for the camp. There is a reservoir of 500,000 gallons of perfect deep that supplies the hotel and there is a large barn on the property, also a swimming pool.

The committee promised Mr. McComas to give his proposition due consideration.

TO GET HOSPITAL

It is now assumed almost that Waynesboro will soon have a general hospital of its own. The work of securing funds will start in the near future and the establishment of a hospital is looked for this summer.

LATE DIVISION IS UNPOPULAR

Recent Division of Tyrone Township for Election Purposes is not Approved by [illegible] of Citizens Say Three Residents.

A. H. Spangler, William M. Deshirch and C. W. Hykes, residents of Tyrone township, have filed a petition in their attorney J. Donald Swope, Esq., asking for the division of the said township as provided in the present act of assembly. Said petition is as follows:

To the Honorable the Judges of said Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County, Pa.

The petition of the undersigned citizens of Tyrone township, Adams county, Pa., respectfully represents:

That your petitioners are citizens of said township and have been for a long time past.

That the said township is divided into two districts, the one being laid out by the commissioners for the reason that all parties interested were not duly notified made by the commissioners and the said division was made by commissioners conscious of voting at the present time, and your petitioners are opposed to adopting the line as suggested the commissioners, and believe that the township would be accommodated by a new division of the said township, which will necessarily inconvenience the voters according between the two dividing lines.

The exceptants reserve the right to offer testimony in support of exceptions.

COLLAR BONE BROKEN

Dennis Boyd, son of Merwin Boyd, Mount Joy, met with an accident which it was feared would prove fatal but is now thought to be not dangerous. A barrel of vinegar had been rolled up to the top of a platform and when the boy was left to watch it. The barrel got away from him on the slope and the boy was thrown into the cellar. He struck a cement floor on his head and remained in that condition for an hour. Dr. Diehl was summoned and found that the boy's collar bone was broken by the fall and that he had received other injuries along the body. The patient is getting along nicely.

SLATE QUARRY RED

Negotiations were concluded this week for the sale of the Proctor slate quarries, near Slatington, to Hon. George R. Bishop, of Harrisburg, acting for Pennsylvania State authorities, who are supposed to be persons identified with the Keystone slate and tile roofing slate company, though the new company is known as the Penn Slate company (formerly the York and Maryland Slate Co.) Proctor was also the library quarry. The new corporation will manufacture roofing slate.

BOY BROKEN IN FALL

Mrs. Charles W. Culp fell in the yard at her home on Washington street Wednesday afternoon and fractures of the left arm near the shoulder. Mrs. Culp was carrying a child at the time, who suddenly slipped. She and her child fell to the ground, the child on the head and in the fall it received the greater part of the injuries. Both of the fortunate result noted. The fracture was adjusted by Dr. A. L. Diehl.

BANK 0 PENCE

The People's State Bank, of East Berlin, was opened Saturday and the depositors found the institution in the capacitances of the directors, for nearly all of them were present. All depositors were given nonzero purses as souvenirs. The officers are: C. W. Myers, president, Noah W. Sell; vice president, Noah W. Sell; vice president, Noah W. Sell; cashier, George A. Bowers; assistant cashier, Charles and Frazier Ahland. William H. Baker is counsel.

SHORTHELD

The Spring Grove orchestra's miniature showed to a crowded house in Opera House, Wednesday evening. Manager of the minstrels, Prof. A. F. Spangler, interlocutor, Prof. Ira Hartzell, tambourine, Ivan Gilbert, bones, Lawrence Spangler, Jr., Clarence Gerberich, Lawrence Hoke and Ralph Shaffer, end men. The other men in the orchestra are: [illegible] and the date has been decided upon.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

Miss Carrie Wartzbaugh, teacher of Quarry school, entertained her pupils on Wednesday evening, March 15, at her home. Games and music were indulged upon in music and games and refreshments were served.

BANK ELECTS ATTORNEY

On Saturday, at a meeting of the directors of the Biglerville National Bank, Attorney Edward Wible, of Biglerville was chosen as the regular attorney for the Biglerville institution.

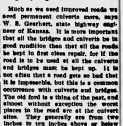
PERMANENCY IN ROAD CULVERTS

The Remedy For Worst Places in Highways.

THIS PROBLEM IS RESLESTED.

Plain or Re-inforced Concrete is The Desire the Best Material to Use For These Small Structures Either in the Fat Top or Arch Form, Says Kansas Highway Engineer.

Much as we need improved roads we need permanent culverts more, says W. H. Goodrich, state highway engineer of Kansas. It is more important that all the bridges and culverts be in good condition than that all the roads be kept in first class repair, for if the road is in bad shape all the culverts and bridges must be kept up. It is not often that a road gets so bad that it is impassible, but this is a common occurrence with culverts and bridges. The old fool is a thing of the past, and almost without exception the present plan places in the road are at the culvert sites. They generally are from two inches to six inches above or below the grade of the road. Rarely have a mudhole no either side and are in such wretched condition we would



BRIDGE WOODEN CULVERT.

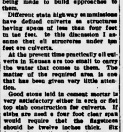
gladly endure the worst ones we could and often have to do so. And many of the culverts are so poorly built that only covered sufficiently to keep them from the road. Many of the culverts are not built buried in the road, an attempt to keep them from washing out and failing.

Different state highway commissioners have defined culverts as structures having a waterway of less than 20 square feet in cut feet. In this discussion I am considering only those culverts that are not arches.

At the present time practically all culverts in Kansas are too small to carry the water during rains. The real matter of the required area is considered by very few of the road builders.

Good stone laid in cement mortar is the most satisfactory material for culvert top slab construction for culverts. If stone are used a four foot top slab would require that the flagstones be from twelve to fifteen inches thick. Such slabs are very satisfactory structures.

In the arch construction the base of the foundations should be carried below



RE-INFORCED CONCRETE CULVERT PLAN.

DATA FOR FLAT TOP RE-INFORCED CONCRETE CULVERTS.

Span.	Thickness of Top.	Thickness of Abutments.	Thickness of Wings.
2 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
3 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
4 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
5 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
6 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
7 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
8 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
9 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
10 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
12 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
14 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.
16 ft.	6 in.	8 in.	6 in.

Remarks.—Size. Square twisted re-inforcing bars 1/2 inch diameter. Bars placed horizontally on centers shown below and vertically on centers shown below. Bars may be placed on centers shown below and with one bend near 45 [illegible] degrees. Concrete 1 part cement, 2 parts sand, 4 parts broken stone or gravel. Bars to be placed 2 inches from bottom of slab.

Courtesy Michigan state highway department.

wide to resist overturning and as stability is the main object, this is the principal consideration for the earth fills.

Plain or re-inforced concrete is undoubtedly the best material to use for these small structures either in the flat top or arch form. The arch is somewhat more economical as the abutments need not be carried down so far as in the flat top slab. The arch is somewhat more difficult to build and requires more skilled labor than the flat top slab form. The arch is better to resist injury by settlement.

THE SIXTH WIDOW

By M. QUAD

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There were five widows in the village of Glen Head when the sixth arrived. Her name was Tompkins.

She was not well known in Glen Head to effect the five widows. He was Thomas Jordan.

The good natured Tom Jordan beloved by everybody, and especially by women, the widowed and barren around. He bought lime and a whitewash brush and hired a man to whitewash the cellar for. He took a too blessed and cut his throat from the front room.

The Widow Tompkins was remarked by her personal effects, but she was not a widow. He had been told all about the widows of Glen Head, and knew who they died, how they died and why they died. She knew that the financial resources of the house to a man. The even that one of the widows had a sore heel and that two others had corns, to the industry was to questioned the sixth widow, but he was not deterred on any point. But not curiosity began him to inquire into the cause of the death of Tom Jordan, he wondered if Providence hadn't sent him a widow to take the place of Tom Jordan. In a month or so he decided that he had, for he was not a widow. So how these five widows had supplied large fat graves.

The Widow Tompkins staid Mr. Jordan to be a widow, and was a good widow, but high as he is here again. Curiosity got the best of the widower that unknown in Jessney about the widows' graves, and suspicion of them arose left to their natural course. The five other widows kept away from the cellar

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Conservative Suits of good Black and Navy Serge. Well tailored--attention paid to all little details of proper revers, buttons, &c. Also Fancy Grey and Hair Line in Navy and Black--all in correct length of coats and gore plaited skirts. No two suits exactly alike--all well lined--$12.00, $15.00, $16.00.

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Beautiful Cream Serge Suits at $16.50 to $22.50

We have not overlooked the needs of the Junior Miss in her Tailored Suit. Hair Line Jaunty Suits, all wool, nicely tailored and lined at $9.50, suits you'd expect to pay $12for.

TUB DRESSES

We are glad to announce the arrival last week of over 100 White Lingerie, Fancy Lawn and Gingham Dresses. Never have we shown such a great variety or such beautiful styles as this season. Styles that are designed in cut and trimming by experts "who live and move" with dress style in their thoughts--who visit the Fashion Centres of the world and work out adaptions for the diversified tastes of the United States. In looking over our stock you see just how they look ready to put on, which most people cannot see in their mind's eye when materials are bought by the yard. Then too--there is the fit--and the price--Look at the dresses, calculate the quantity and price of the materials, trimmings--and the cost of dressmaking--plus the style--that few dress makers can give you, and you will see how much is gained.

Dresses at $2.00, $3.00, $4.00, $5.00 to $10.00.
White Lingeries, at $2, $3, to $8.50.
Handsome White French Lawns, richly trimmed, at $9 to $22.50.

NOTE--These garments are under the well known Acorn Brand. A personal inspection of this factory found it as clean as your own dining room with sperotors intelligent and refined in appearance and dress.

For The Girl Graduate

It isn't too soon — especially if you must have the services of a dress-maker, to look after the purchase of the dresses and accessories for that very great occasion. Every right kind of materials are now on our counters. French Batistes, French Lawns, English Sheer Nainsooks, Persian Lawns, Flaxons, Fancy and Plain Marquisette Weaves — and many others. In addition to the advantage of having so great a choice of fabrics — there is every right kind of lace and trimmings that the fashion dictates — over our own taste suggests.

Every piece of White Goods named, as well as Trimmings was bought direct from the Importer — that means a saving in price to you.

Also all the little accessories — such as gloves. White Hose, Fans & etc — are to be had at less than the usual of most stores.

Black & Colored Serges

Paris and America says SERGES

It is said that ninety-five out of every hundred fashionably dressed women you see in Paris, on the street, are wearing Tailored Suits of Navy or Black Serge — why not you?

Elegant qualities are shown by us in both fine and coarse diagonal twills. There is no dress fabric more serviceable, or that lends itself to the tailors art with more grace. For practical separate skirts, and the very stylish one piece dress it is equally adaptable. We are showing not only the reigning favorites of black and Navy but also the best Spring time shades.

All Wool 1 yard wide - special 50 cts.
All Wool a yard & a quarter wide 75 & 1.00
Elegant French & Rain Sergesat 1.00 & 1.25.

San Toy Poplins

Specially adaptable for the gown for either street wear in May or June, or the house and church. Light in weight, soft in texture, beautiful in finish and colors, Black, Navy, Bamboo, and several other colors, the goods are 44 inches wide. Our price $1.00c

Many other equally desirable fabrics.

Marquisettes

What are they? A real Marquisette is an all Silk fabric resembling Grenadines. They are worn over a silk lining, and many an old silk is resurrected and made do second duty by covering it with Marquisette, for either a full gown or separate waist. Plain Blacks, Blacks with woven Stripe all Black, and Black with White woven stripe, 45 inches wide, $1.00.

Fancy colors such as Helio, Helen Pink and others, 40 inches wide, $1.

Cotton and Silk and all Cotton Marquisettes

we show in greatest variety of colors, with woven stripes or plain. These goods can be used over White or Colored linings, and the line embraces every price.

All White, woven dotted, Marquisette elegant materials for the girl graduate, Bride's maids or other dressy occasions. Special Lace Bands and Edges for their adornment and finish, 50 and 60 cts. per yard.

DRESS SILKS

We announced in a recent advertisement our complete readiness for the Silk demand we felt sure would come. We have already been compelled to duplicate several staple patterns of Foulards, which easily lead in the selling.

We here repeat, what we said in a recent advertisement, that our Silk fabric stock exceeds in assortment that of all the Adams County stores combined. In addition to the great variety of patterns and colors of Foulards, is the variety of prices of from 50 cts., to $1, are the Fancy Striped and Checked Messalines in the beautiful new Spring colors of Alice, Helen, Coral, Pink and many staple shades, 24 and 36 inch width, 75 cts. and $1. Special 36 inch width $1. Elegant quality and finish of Messalines, in the richest plain colorings and changeables, at 85 cts. and $1, 26 inches wide.

One of the most popular fancy Silks is Black and White Hair line Stripes and Checks, Louisine and Taffeta weaves, Prices 75 cts, to $1 for the 36 inch width

Special stripes and shepherd checks, a yard wide at $1. These Silks are worn by maid and matron, and trimmed with a bit of color like Coral or Helen Pink, in addition to Laces or Embroidered Bands in Persian Colors, there are few colorings that make up as dressy as these Black and White for elegant occasions.

Use the Mail or Telephone

Our clientele extends over a great radius, having had customers quite often from Carroll and Frederick Counties, Md., and many more would like to avail themselves of our great stock, but for the distance. To all such we say, Use the Mails if not on our Telephone line. We will gladly send you samples of anything that can be sampled, or duly you any goods you desire to order. All being subject to your approval.

FRUIT TRAIN SIX MILES IN LENGTH

Over Eight Hundred Cars Loaded with Adams County Apples Shipped Last Fall would have Made an Immense Train. Other Fruit.

A freight train more than six miles long would have been required to haul all the apples shipped from Adams County in 1910 had all the fruit been shipped at one time. Eight hundred and twenty five carloads of the luscious apples were shipped from this county in the past year as against 626 cars in 1909, the former banner year. Twenty thousand more barrels were shipped in 1910 than three years previous.

In 1905 there were shipped from this county 97,419 barrels of apples in barrels while 34,500 barrels of the fruit were shipped in bulk, making a total of 131,777 in all. The total in 1907 was 183,339 made up of 47,172 barreled fruit and 61,023 in bulk, also showing the increasing percentage of barreled fruit shipped.

The apple output in the county has increased 100 per cent since 1905.

Biglerville holds the record for the number of carloads shipped, 141 cars having been sent from that place. Mc-Knightstown sent out 107 1-4. Other places contributing large shipments were Arendtsville with 84 cars, Aspers 82 carloads, Bendersville, Gardners, Barnetts and Gettysburg.

The county also shipped sixty one and a half carloads of potatoes, only one and a half cars less than the Five hundred bushels are counted to the car.

Biglerville shipped in addition to the apples in barrels, 1,000 bushels in cars of russet apples, 5 cats of evaporated apples and 4 cars of cider by rail.

The peach growing industry is showing an extraordinarily healthy condition, the shipments amounting to 15 carloads while reports show that 15,000 baskets were grown and marketed in addition to the above. Four carloads of pears and one of cherries were shipped from the county during the year.

The Fruit Growers' Association has just issued its 1910 annual report giving the proceedings of the annual convention and a review of the season and products of the past year. It is complete in every detail and is illustrated with half tones showing views in county orchards of all sorts of fine fruit, together with other pictures of interest and views of the men engaged in the fruit growing industry.

FARMER TO PROFIT BY BILL

The Mayer bill, providing for supervision of orchards by county commissioners, which was passed by the legislature last winter, will affect Adams and thirteen other counties if it goes.

"There is one thing about this bill that all members of the legislature should understand," said Prof. H. A. Surface, state zoologist, "and logic. "and that is that the very people who will benefit most by support in horticulture will be most benefited by the act.

"Tis could as where the best fruit is grown all have their horticultural societies and it is because of this that fruit growers in these counties know what spoors of will best take care of their own localities."

The Mayer bill provides $20,000 to start the work and the expenditure thereafter of $10,000 annually. After enough of the crop has been sold to pay for the maintenance of the farm, the remainder of the fruit is to be given to the nearest state institution.

WEDDING BELLS RING MERRILY

Kohler-Flexel wedding in Littlestown Thursday Evening. Detailed Account of Eckert-Brame Wedding Near Gettysburg.

KOHLER--FLEXEL

Luther Edward Kohler, of Littlestown, and Miss Bessie Mae Flexel, of Guttysburg, were married at nine o'clock Thursday evening at the parsonage in Littlestown by the Rev. John J. Hill formalizing after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Kohler went to their home in Littlestown which had been completely furnished.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Flexel. For three year she was a successful and efficient clerk in the post office at Littlestown resigning that position only about a month ago. Mr Kohler is employed in the store of Mr. Littlestown. The many friends of both will be glad to extend their heartiest and best wishes.

ECKERT--BRAME

A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brame near Cashtown at noon Tuesday, when their daughter Miss Edna M. Brame and John D. Eckert, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eckert, of Gettysburg were married by the Rev. Jr. Reisner, of Cashtown friend of the bride.

The bride wore a gown of Alice blue silk mousseline trimmed with lace. The home of bome was Emma Orndorff. She wore brown satin mousaline trimmed with lace. The groom was attended by Harvey Brame, brother of the bride.

Both bride and groom are well known and have a host of friends in young and county and have a wide circle of friends. The bride was the recipient of large number of gifts consisting of cut glass, silverware and linen.

The guests present were Mr. and Mrs.Fre F. Brame and daughter Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Orndorff, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Deame, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eckert, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brame, Emma Orndorff, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Erisman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sr., Mr. and Mrs John Miller, Mr. and Mrs. David Dougherty, and Mrs. John Swisher, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Deerdorff, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dougherty, Misses Ellie and Goldie Brame, Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver, Mr. and Mrs.Mervin Topper, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brame, Miss Zeta Orndorff, Miss Bessie Swisher, Miss Elsie Swisher brook, Miss Blanche Ogden, Mr. and, Mrs. Charles Topper and daughter Catherine, Misses Ethel and Sarah Harbaugh, Howard Eckert, Dorsey Eckert, Walter Eckert, Henry Cleveland, Curtis Eberhart, Archie Brame, Walter Eckert.

TERM REPORT

The following is the report of Woodside school, Straban township, for term ending March 25th, 1911. Walter Wolf, Number enrolled 39, average attendance 34, number of attendances, girls, 86; boys, 86; total 50 1-8. Those who attended every day during the term were Bessie and Lizzie Zeiset Harbaugh, Ethel and Sarah Harbaugh, Harbaugh mark missed a day and a half and Ada Hartlaub missed two days.

SAYS AFFIAN IS SETTLED

Earl McClellan has returned home from Gettysburg where he had been to west Wednesday with his father on business. In the charge of second degree forgery brought against him in Orphans Court, The case was not went without regulation papers. He says that the affair has been settled.

GETTYSBURG MARKETS

Wheat, Corn and Oats Quotations furnished daily by C. Milton Wolf, Jr, successor to J. Gen. Wolf's Sons, Gettysburg.

	Per Bu.
Wheat	85
New Rye Corn	60
New Oats	38

RETAIL PRICES

	Per 100
Quaker Meal	2.30
Meal	2.30
Wheat Bran	31.50
Wheat Bran, mid. per bushel	1.00
Chop	28.00
Corn and Oats Chop	1.70
White Middlings	1.60
Red Middlings	1.70
Timothy hay	1.40
Rye Straw	1.00
Baled straw	1.00
Flaxseed	$2.50 per bu
Cement	$1.50 per bbl

RETAIL PRICES

	Per bu
Flour	$6.40
Western flour	5.80
	Per bu
Wheat	90
Shelled Corn	60
New Ear Corn	60
Rye	70
New Oats	40

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